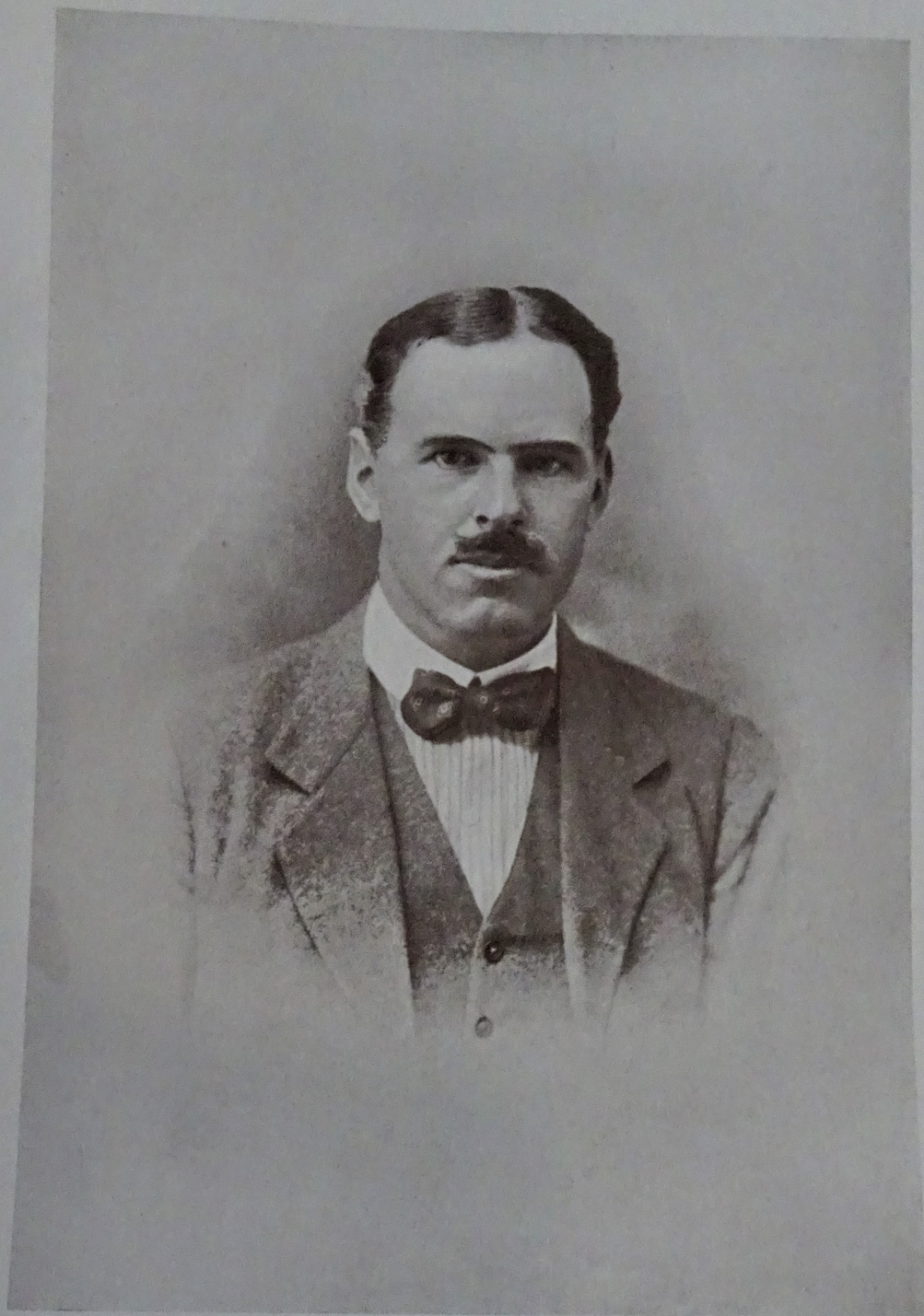


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CAMP JALPAIGURI 1916.

GENERAL REPORT OF THE SEASON.

IN last year's Report an increase in our membership was recorded, so it is all the more pleasant to be able to report that our numbers have this season gone up still further from 1,200 to 1,261 of all ranks, this notwithstanding that a considerable number of members are serving in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers and other Services.

A few of the older residents of the district have joined the Corps as honorary members. With very few exceptions every European British subject is a member in one capacity or other.

This season a progressive system of training was laid down, and was well carried through—an important part of this being the classes of instruction held by the Adjutant at Lebong and Mal: they were most successful, and the improved troop and squadron work is undoubtedly due to the knowledge acquired at these classes.

Drills have been held more frequently than in former years; and during the rains lectures and verbal instruction were carried on when the weather did not admit of drills.

A full account of the Annual Camp of Exercise will be found in another part of this Report. It extended over a period of ten days as in the previous year. All ranks are to be congratulated on the way in which they performed their individual duties, and in so doing made the camp the success it was. Motor cars and motor cycles were again utilized with success. Nearly all the roads radiating from Jalpaiguri were carefully reconnoitred, and the resulting maps and reports will be most useful records for future use. The formation of a Motor Section has not yet been officially sanctioned.

A most unfortunate disaster overtook our Head Quarters buildings on 8th August 1915 in the shape of a landslip which completely carried away the new stables. Two of Captain Liddell's chargers and several belonging to the Corps were killed. Captain Liddell's "Spec", whose photograph appeared in our last Annual Report, was unfortunately one of those killed. A grant was received from Government sufficient to build substantially the necessary revetments so as to ensure the future safety of the site. The new stables are almost

completed, and the other works are finished. Fortunately the slip missed the end of the servants' quarters by a few feet, otherwise a serious loss of life might have resulted.

The new Head Quarters of "C" Squadron have been completed at Mal on a piece of ground kindly given as a free gift to the Corps by the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Musharruf Hussain. The buildings are of a substantial character, and should cost very little in annual repairs.

The iron work for the new bungalow and armoury for "K" Squadron Head Quarters at Kalchini has been ordered, and the bungalow should be ready for occupation during next cold weather. With the completion of this bungalow the Corps will be fully provided with good, substantial Squadron Head Quarters buildings, which should result in a considerable saving in annual renewals.

The Charger Fund continues to fill a most useful and important part in the working of the Corps. It is being taken advantage of to the full capacity of its funds.

This opportunity is taken to thank the numerous Calcutta Agency Houses for their liberal financial support towards the camp expenses, and for their moral support in allowing members every opportunity of attending camp.

It is with sincere regret that we have to record the resignation of Major (now Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) C. W. Ansell, V.D., who had the honour of being the oldest member of the Corps. His regimental number was 23. He joined the Corps on 29th August 1873, thus having nearly 43 years' continuous efficient service to his credit. This is a record which any one would be proud of. We congratulate Colonel Ansell on it, and in saying good-bye, wish him a continuance of good health and all happiness in the future.

In September last year Captain Liddell's tenure of the Adjutancy came to an end, and to the regret of all members he left us to return to his Regiment. Appropriately enough on the day he left the Corps he received news of his promotion to Major. Captain Liddell during his five years with us was very largely responsible for the increased efficiency of the Corps in drill, organization, and equipment. Not only in work

but also in the matter of sport he took a keen interest and a prominent part. The satisfactory and up-to-date efficiency of the regimental books and records is due to his methodical organization. Among other innovations he successfully introduced were the Charger Fund, the Regimental Tailor, and the new and improved form of our Annual Report. These are only a few of his activities. He carries with him the hearty good wishes of the Corps for the best of luck in the future.

We were fortunate in being able to induce Captain Little to accept the post of Adjutant. Although very keen to go on active service if he could, at the pressing request of the Commanding Officer he gave up his ambition to place his services at the disposal of the Corps; and we can only hope he will never regret his decision: the knowledge that his work is being appreciated by all ranks will, we trust, be his reward.

It is impossible to leave some mention of the Great War out of this general report. The War goes on with unabated fierceness, though there are signs that a decision may be arrived at before many more months are past. The Allies now appear to have the superiority both numerically and in the matter of munitions and other necessary equipment. When the time comes to make the great offensive they will have every advantage that human ingenuity can devise; and we can but hope and trust that by the time another Annual Report is issued the world will again be at peace, resting and recuperating after the terrible strain of the past.

We cannot all take an active part in the War; so it is up to us to give to the full extent of our means to assist in alleviating the pain and distress of those who have given up homes and families to take their places at the front and fight for freedom and our homeland. The widows and orphans of those who have made the Supreme Sacrifice must never be allowed to look to us in vain.

It is with extreme regret that the death of Lieutenant W. K. Webb has to be recorded. He had 17 years' service, all in this Corps. His ever welcome and cheery presence will be much missed in "B" Squadron.

GENERAL REPORT OF THE SEASON.

Indian Army Reserve of Officers—2nd Lieutenant J. Tyson. Tyson was killed in France, and 2nd Lieutenants C. Frisch and J. J. Ashforth have been killed in Mesopotamia. These officers left good and assured billets to serve their King and Country: and we honour them in death.

All ranks are once again urged to bear in mind the duty of making and keeping themselves thoroughly efficient Volunteers: so that should the necessity arise we may be found ready to perform worthily the part allotted to us in the Empire's defence.





SLIP AT HEADQUARTERS, DARJEELING. 8 AUG. 1915.

1. The Slip. 2. The Demolished Stable. 3. Debris on Lower Road.

CLASSES OF INSTRUCTION.

A new departure in Regimental training was introduced this year in the form of Classes of Instruction for Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers. These were held at Lebong in October, and at Mal in November, and lasted for 5 working days each.

Their object was to give practical instruction in all the principal duties of Troop and Section Leaders, and the course in each case was almost exactly the same. It consisted of—

- (1) mounted troop drill daily, in which each member of the class took his turn as Drill Instructor, Troop Leader, and Centre and Flank Guide. During the latter part of the course squadron drill was also carried out with skeleton troops.
- (2) An hour's dismounted parade was devoted to foot drill, handling of arms, signals, and practical instruction in care and cleaning of rifles, fitting saddlery, principles of equitation, &c.
- (3) Two lectures were given daily: one on points of drill and the other on tactical work in the field: at which copious notes were taken down by the class. In each case the lectures were confined to giving the clearest explanations and the most comprehensive hints on the ordinary duties that fall to Troop and Section Leaders in actual practice.

The Adjutant conducted both these classes, assisted by a Permanent Staff Instructor: that at Lebong was attended by a total of 17 Officers and others, almost entirely belonging to "A" and "B" Squadrons; while that at Mal dealt with a total of 29 from "C", "G", and "K" Squadrons.

Very few were able to be present for the whole 5 days of the course, and many only put in 2 or 3 days' work: this (though very much better than not coming at all) is somewhat unsatisfactory, as the full benefit of a progressive course of instruction can only be reaped by those who go through the whole from start to finish. The greatest keenness in the work

was shown by all, and the Instructor's task was made a light and pleasant one by the obvious interest and the marked progress of all concerned.

There can be no doubt of the immense value of such classes in raising the efficiency of the Corps. They provide the best possible opportunity for young Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers to learn their work as Troop and Section Leaders; and the 5 days' continuous work of the class, with explanations of all doubtful points and with theory and practice closely in alliance, do more to impress the teaching on the memory than any other form of training available to us.

[The remark has since been heard that one could always on parade pick out Troop Leaders who had attended a class from those who had not; and this may not be far from the truth !]

Another advantage is that the classes tend to maintain uniformity of method throughout the Regiment in drill and tactical work, and this is of great value in subsequent training.

It is hoped that the two classes will become an annual fixture in our training programme; and that every Officer and Non-Commissioned Officer in the Regiment who has not done so will do his best to attend a class—and for the whole period of 5 days.



ANNUAL CAMP OF EXERCISE.

THIS was as usual held at Jalpaiguri during the latter half of February, and the ten days' period inaugurated last year was adhered to. Efforts were made to carry out the movements to Camp in a more methodical manner than previously; and train and transport arrangements, both for the Plains Squadrons and the "Hillmen", seemed to work more smoothly and with less expenditure of time and temper than of yore. Our new Regimental Transport Officer—Mr. Polwhele of the Bengal-Duars Railway—may be congratulated on his *début*.

By the evening of Wednesday, 16th February, very fair numbers had assembled; and after dinner a short lecture on the arrangements and programme of work was administered to the Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers in preparation for the strenuous time to commence on the morrow.

Alas! with Reveille on Thursday down came the long-delayed rain, and work had to be confined to a lecture in the Mess House for all ranks, with later a mounted parade, from which we were driven into Camp again by the weather!

Friday morning broke more brightly, and serious training was at once tackled with energy.

From that time we were no more troubled by wet weather: and indeed the first day's rain was by no means an unmixed evil, for it laid the dust and made the going across country delightful throughout the Camp.

A programme of Camp doings is appended hereto, so there is no need to touch on each day's work. Almost every morning a short time was spent on the Parade Ground in squadron and regimental drill; and the improvement in efficiency was most marked, especially in the Squadron and Troop Leaders.

Tactical exercises occupied the remainder of the mornings up to 1 P.M.; and on several days we had the advantage of

co-operation with the Armed Police under Mr. Monckton in very instructive little field days.

On two nights during Camp the whole Regiment was out from 8-30 to midnight or later for practice in night operations. Great interest was shown in each of the schemes, which were in many points well carried out, and valuable lessons were learnt by all ranks regarding the difficulties of successful warfare in the dark.

On Sunday, 20th February, we had a delightful Church Parade Service under the trees, conducted by our Chaplains Dr. Graham, C.I.E., and Mr. Milne, and greatly assisted by the String Band.

A horse parade was afterwards held, and the Commanding Officer's prizes for the most suitable chargers were awarded.

The daily guard-mounting parades at 6 P.M. became quite a popular spectacle, and in most cases the Guards were very creditably turned out and were really smart. The fortunate member to whom fell the honour of receiving "the stick" after the Orderly Officer's careful inspection was the recipient of his friends' hearty (and subsequently liquid !) congratulations.

Lectures were given almost every evening by the Adjutant, who seemed absolutely untirable in his efforts to explain every point of drill that could arise, and every principle of the tactical action of mounted troops. So far as possible the work to be done on the ensuing parades was explained, and hints were given on the best methods; while afterwards the inevitable mistakes were pointed out, and the tactical schemes discussed in detail.

Lively discussions were not unknown; and most Officers and Members evinced a very keen interest throughout these lectures, which are undoubtedly a great help in obtaining real benefit and instruction from the training carried out.

On Friday, 25th February, the Annual Inspection of the Regiment was carried out by Brigadier-General R. G. Strange, Commanding the Presidency Brigade. The General first saw camp and stables; then inspected the three squadrons in line on the parade ground, and witnessed a march-past by squadrons,

and trot-past by sections. The Regiment then formed up in three sides of a square, and the General presented the following medals:—

2nd Lieut. C. St. J. Berrill	...	Volunteer Long Service.
S.S.-Major Instr. A.W. Wearn	...	Long Service and Good Conduct.
S. S. Major R. H. Cartwright	...	} Volunteer Long Service.
Trpr. W. Grant-Dingwall	...	
„ J. Baker	...	
„ J. Thomson	...	

A tactical scheme was then carried out in conjunction with the Armed Police, Major Gollan being in command of one Force, and Major Wood of the other.

The *venue* was the ground west of the railway line towards Titalyia, and operations were in two phases and were most instructive, lasting until about 2 P.M.

Major Wood and his Force, which included the Police, carried out their allotted task with credit in each phase of the scheme, despite the strenuous but less co-ordinated efforts of their opponents.

The turn-out, the steadiness on parade, and the riding and field work generally of all ranks were very satisfactory, and to those who knew the Regiment two short years ago showed a wonderful improvement.

General Strange in his remarks after the operations touched on several points of tactical work, and explained how the mistakes made might have been avoided. He expressed himself as very satisfied with what he had seen, and has given the Regiment a very creditable report for the year.

Seventeen candidates for Proficiency Certificates were examined in Camp by a Board, of which our old friend Major Henderson of the 17th Cavalry was President, and of these, 14 passed, several “with clearness”.

The remainder of the last Saturday in Camp was taken up, as usual, with the Regimental Point-to-Point Race and the Assault-at-Arms, accounts of which will be found elsewhere. Suffice it to say here that in the Point-to-Point a much healthier number of competitors appeared,

all of whom thoroughly enjoyed a delightful gallop, while in the Sports it was remarked that a better all-round lot of horses had rarely been seen at Jalpaiguri, and that most of the events were competed for in really good style. The innovation of competitors wearing sashes of their squadron colours was a great improvement.

Though the Camp was throughout a period of strenuous training, social pleasures were by no means absent. The concerts organized by Lieutenant Macalister and his helpers gave the greatest enjoyment; while the Band under Colour-Sergeant Thacker, as last year, cheered us all nightly with mellifluous strains when work was done, and provided the best of music for the dances.

Polo was played on four afternoons during Camp. "K" Squadron were once more easy winners of the Inter-Squadron Cup, and the English Team again secured the Chaplin International Cup, beating the Scottish after a good fast game. There were a number of scratch chukkers on each polo day; but it is still somewhat surprising that more members do not take advantage of the opportunities at Jalpaiguri for good practice at polo.

A word must be said about the messing arrangements. These were again managed entirely by the Regimental staff, and it was agreed on all hands that the quality of the messing showed a great improvement on that of last year, when a series of unexpected misfortunes rather played havoc with the arrangements. This year meals were plain but plentiful, and the difficulties of speedy service (which are greater than many people realize) were more successfully dealt with than ever before. Information so far to hand indicates that even old and valued grouzers (so indispensable to every well-run Regiment) left Camp comparatively silent on this point; and we hasten to offer our sincere congratulations to all concerned with the Mess on their achievements. It may be of interest to say that the cost of messing worked out at about Rs. 2-12 per head per day.

In conclusion we may safely say that the 1916 Training Camp compared most favourably with any of its predecessors

in point of practical utility, of honest work done, and of enjoyment. The general keenness and the greatly increased efficiency on parade made the Camp training much more practical and interesting than before; and the very few members who had at first not quite assimilated the modern military spirit of the Corps were quickly shown the advisability of doing so by their comrades.

It should be our aim in the coming season to bring the preliminary training of troops and squadrons to an even higher all-round level, so that with well-trained squadrons we may proceed at the 1917 Camp to more advanced and interesting tactical work.

ANNUAL CAMP OF EXERCISE.

PROGRAMME OF WORK.

ANNUAL TRAINING CAMP—JALPAIGURI, FEBRUARY 1916.

Date.	Morning.	Afternoon.	Evening.
Wednesday, 16th	Assemble,	6 P.M. Guard Mounting.	7-30 P.M. Dinner. 9 P.M. Lecture for Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers.
Thursday, 17th ...	7-15 A.M. Breakfast. 8-15 A.M. Troop and Squadron Parade. Squadron Drill. Led Horses. 10-15 A.M. Tactical Instruction (Attack). 12 NOON Stables.	2-15 P.M. Dismounted Parade. 4 P.M. Polo, Tennis, &c. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	9 P.M. Lecture.
Friday, 18th ...	8-15 A.M. Squadron Parades. 9-15 A.M. Tactical Scheme (with Police.)	2-15 P.M. Dismounted Parade. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	8-30 P.M.—Night Operations.
Saturday, 19th ...	8-15 A.M. Regimental Drill. 10 A.M. Tactical Exercise.	4 P.M. Polo, Tennis, &c. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	Dance.
Sunday, 20th ...	6-30 A.M. Reveille. 8 A.M. Breakfast. 9-30 A.M. Church Parade. 11 A.M. Stables. 12 NOON Horse Parade, Commanding Officer's Prizes.	.....	Concert.
Monday, 21st ...	8-15 A.M. Squadron Parades. Squadron Drill. Led Horses. 9-30 A.M. Tactical Exercise. 12 NOON Stables.	2-15 P.M. Dismounted Parade. 4 P.M. Polo, Inter-Squadron Cup. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	9 P.M. Lecture.
Tuesday, 22nd ...	8-15 A.M. Regimental Drill. 9 A.M. Field Day (with Police.) (Lunch out.)	Tactical Exercises. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	Dance.
Wednesday, 23rd	8-15 A.M. Regimental Drill in Field. 9-15 A.M. Tactical Exercise.	2-15 P.M. Dismounted Parade. 4 P.M. Polo, Inter-Squadron Final. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	8-30 P.M.—Night Operations.
Thursday, 24th ...	8-15 A.M. Regimental Drill. Ceremonial. Photograph. 12 NOON Stables.	2 P.M. Inter-Squadron Shooting. Cup on Range. 6-30 P.M. Lecture.	Concert.
Friday, 25th ...	8-15 A.M. Squadron Parades. 9 A.M. Inspection and March-past. Presentation of Medals. 10 A.M. Tactical Scheme (with Police).	4 P.M. Polo, Chaplin Cup Final. 6 P.M. Proficiency Examination.	Mess Dinner. Dance.
Saturday, 26th ...	7-30 A.M. Point-to-Point Race. 8 A.M. Breakfast. 9 A.M. Proficiency Examination. 10 A.M. Sports.	2-30 P.M. Regimental Sports.	Squadron Dinners. Dance.
Sunday, 27th ...	Disperse.		





PRESENTATION OF MEDALS BY BR.-GENERAL A. G. STRANGE - CAMP 1916.

RECONNAISSANCE RACE.

Corporal E. O. Shebbeare, of "C" Squadron, repeated his generous offer of last year, and provided a pair of handsome cups as prizes for a cross-country long-distance military ride; but not content with this, he also made all arrangements and provided all necessaries (and not a few luxuries) for a Bivouac Camp the night preceding the Race.

The conditions of the event were somewhat altered from those of last year, so as to obtain more practical instruction in reconnaissance work, as well as in the art of rapidly getting across unknown country.

Considering that the full conditions and instructions had been previously published in orders, and that there were no great difficulties to face and no expenses, it was a poor compliment to the organizer that comparatively so few competitors could be found to devote 24 hours to a thoroughly sporting and most enjoyable competition.

[The above is a very weak version of what some senior members of the Corps remarked at the time!—Ed.]

The competitors were railed from their stations on the Bengal-Duars Railway on Saturday, 5th February, with their horses, and detrained at a previously unknown point, which proved to be Banarhat Station, whence a ride of some 6 miles brought them to the bivouac.

Here our host had arranged shelters, bedding, food, picketing-gear, and all things necessary—including lots of firewood for a cheerful camp fire. The *al fresco* meal under the benignant direction of our (partially) tame Scout was altogether delightful; and it was not till after many tales had been told and bumpers quaffed that we were able to curl up for a little sleep. It seemed only a few minutes later that a figure, strangely like that of the Great Napoleon on the eve of Austerlitz, was discovered stalking heavily round the Camp, and announcing the coming dawn. All were up and ready in good time; and the pairs of competitors were started separately at intervals of 5 minutes to ride as reconnaissance patrols the best way to Chalsa Station, and to prepare a sketch map and

report on the route such as would enable a squadron to follow them without difficulty or delay. The time allowed was two hours from start to handing in of report at the finish, and the shortest route was about 13 miles. The task was performed on the whole very creditably, and all enjoyed an excellent ride. The marks awarded to the three first pairs out of a maximum of 100 show how close was the competition among them :—

Corpl. Stone and Trpr. McTaggart, ... 81 marks—Winners.

Capt. Drysdale and Lieut. MacBean ... 77 „ Second.

Farr.-Sgt. Cargill, and Sergt. Turbett ... 76 „ Third.

The judging was done by Colonel Stoddart, the Adjutant, and Corporal Shebbeare; and the Colonel most kindly supplied a meal for the competitors at Chalsa Station, which was very much enjoyed.

Mr. Polwhele of the Bengal-Duars Railway kindly allowed special facilities for training horses, &c., in connection with the event, and our hearty thanks are due to him once more as well as to the organizer of the event, Corporal Shebbeare.



OFFICERS' DINNER.

AN Officers' Mess Dinner was held at the Darjeeling Head Quarters on 18th October 1915 in the Drill Hall, which was very nicely decorated for the occasion by the Permanent Staff at Head Quarters, reinforced by Mrs. Green and her husband from Kurseong.

The Colonel and twelve Officers of the Regiment were present (several being prevented at the last moment from attending), and there were eight distinguished guests, including His Excellency Lord Carmichael, Honorary Colonel of the Regiment, and the Maharaja of Cooch Behar.

The dinner itself reflected great credit on the organizing abilities of Orderly Room Quartermaster-Sergeant Collinson and Squadron Sergeant-Major Wearn, and the skill of the Head Quarters' cook. The complete success of their efforts could hardly have been better demonstrated than by the genial tone of the subsequent speeches and their jovial reception by the diners.

The party afterwards spent a pleasant evening in the adjoining "ante-room"; and it was long after the Honorary Colonel's departure ere the fascination of Major Ansell's sparkling reminiscences and the Maharaja's merry madrigals permitted us to wend our harmonious homeward way.

The affair was a great success, and it is hoped that a similar dinner may be held at least once a year in future: such a gathering of the Officers gives an opportunity for the exchange of opinions on regimental (and other) matters which is hardly so well afforded even during the Annual Camp.



impression upon his mind. Most people punish a horse when in a violent temper, and when not in a temper they do not punish the horse at all. If a horse is punished while he is in fear, his fear is greatly increased. Speed also increases fear, so that when a horse bolts from fear it is of the greatest importance that he be stopped as soon as possible. This sounds rather unnecessary advice.

On account of the horse's wonderful memory we are able, by using different voice-sounds for different indications, to teach him to go through all kinds of performances. A horse does not understand words, but he soon understands tones. By giving hand or leg indications together with tones, we teach him to do certain acts, and later make him do these acts without using the voice-tones. His memory allows him very soon to go through a succession of acts directly he is told to do the first one. Upon this principle the high school and circus horse is taught, and in a milder form all well-trained horses. The horse associates everything he sees or does with the sensations he experiences at the time of his seeing or doing; and unless this fact is understood, successful horse-training is an impossibility. Thus, when a horse jumps a fence we must cause a pleasant sensation; were he to be jerked in the mouth he would associate the pain that he felt with the jump and not with our bad riding. Absence of pain followed by a caress or a tit-bit will cause the horse to like jumping, because he associates it with pleasant sensations. Again—and this is a most important point—a horse shies at a motor-car; he is thrashed by a fool: and afterwards associates the car with pain—an unpleasant association!—and from mere fear he shies next time he sees a car. If he had been left alone on the first occasion, and caressed and given a tit-bit directly the car had passed, he would associate cars with these nice sensations and soon like to see cars coming. This may take time; but it is the principle on which successful horse-training is based, and I have never known it fail with the worst of horses. Excessive exuberance of spirits through over-feeding and want of exercise may cause a horse to become refractory. No horse must be trained while in such a state; but must be lunged or otherwise exercised, preferably in an enclosed space, until this is got rid of.

If we cannot prevent a horse from doing an act, we must let him do it *pro tempore*; and take great care that the next time he tries it we will be well prepared to stop him. If we first try to stop him and eventually give way he learns his superiority; if he is going to do it, any way it is far better that we let him think that we want him to do it.

ON RIDING.—Riding is the finest form of exercise that we can go in for, and I think that every one who has the opportunity to ride should realize how lucky he is. More encouragement to civilians and soldiers alike should be given to go in for mounted sports, &c. A few shillings spent a week on horses will save many more on doctor's bills. Very few good riders exist, and I think that there is no doubt whatever that this is due to the wrong way most people are taught.

The only saddle in which a correct seat can be obtained is the English hunting saddle. The correct seat is very similar to the seat of a man sitting bareback, the only difference being that his toes are down when he is riding without stirrups.

The fault of our military saddles is that they are far too short in the seat, necessitating the rider having to ride with his stirrups too long; and that means that he must ride with his leg too straight, in which position his thigh muscles become quite round instead of being flat. There is no need for this type of short seat now that heavy packs are forbidden on the cavalryman's saddle. There is only one seat: there is no such thing as the hunting seat and the military seat, as we often hear would-be horsemen talking about. A man cannot ride his horse with a straight leg.

From the point of view of humanity and safety ladies are better if they ride astride; but I fear that many people do not agree with me on this point. A lady while riding astride has more control over the horse, because she has two legs to ride him with. She can also mount and dismount herself, and is not in such danger if the horse runs away, nor is she at the mercy of the girths. A great number of ladies have in the past permanently injured themselves physically by riding crooked on a side-saddle; and the number of horses that get horribly sore backs is only too apparent to one who has visited

livery stables in a hunting district, as I have on many occasions. Of course, I do not for one moment suggest that a lady who rides well will do herself any harm by riding side-saddle; but what I do emphasize is that there are comparatively so few side-saddle riders that do ride really well. So many rise off the horse's wrong leg and others rise crooked, whilst others sit crooked with their left shoulder too far back instead of level with the right one.

ON BITTING.—Ninety-nine per cent. of the bits we see hung in most harness rooms should be thrown on to the scrap-heap. They are used by men with bad hands and a worse knowledge of driving. A snaffle and a simple curb-bit (as the Liverpool for driving and the Weymouth for riding) are all that are necessary for 99 out of every 100 horses. In fact, I do not believe it would be necessary to use any other bit on the one horse out of the hundred if that horse were in the hands of a competent man from the first. Good hands can do wonders with a bad mouth in a very short time. There is no doubt that most runaways are caused by brutal bits; and nearly all pullers are made by them, together with a bad pair of hands on the other end of the reins.

ON SPURS.—Spurs are not by any means the best things with which to punish a horse. A whip is the correct article to use. Sharp spurs, except with a very few horses that have already been spoilt by abuse of the spur, are absolutely unnecessary, and are only used by people who know no better or else are brutally disposed. Thousands of good horses are ruined by the use, or rather abuse, of sharp spurs. The real use of the spur—which should be quite blunt or without any rowels at all—is a most valuable indicator or “aid.” A horse should be ridden as much by this indicator as by the gentle touch of the hands transmitted through the reins.





1. Tr. F. L. Oakley. 'B' Sqdn. Winner 100-yards & Long Jump. 1916.
2. A Troop in Riding-School, Darjeeling. 3. Some Officers - Camp 1916.
4. Our 'Far-East' Outpost - Newlands Troop - Jan. 1916.

"AS OTHERS SEE US."

A MILITARY REVUE.

SCENE I.—ASSEMBLY.

THE sun bathed everything in a steady glare of light as the train steamed slowly into the bare little station.

There was the usual crowd of coolies on the platform grasping their weird bundles of clothes and sticks and pots and general paraphernalia: jabbering, shoving, spitting, laughing, shouting, running aimlessly here and there hoping to find a good seat in the incoming "gharri." Some more decorous white-robed, red-robed, green-robed, be-puggreed and badged servants stood beside heaps of "*mál*": bedding, stretchers, portmanteaus, boxes, hold-alls, tarpaulins, tables, chairs, suspicious-looking old tea-chests and bath-tubs packed to the brim with all sorts of odds and ends. A small group of khaki-clad warriors grasping rifles, riding-whips, cameras, tennis bats or such precious possessions stood a little aloof, grinning expectantly, exchanging chaff and diving into pockets for dibs; while the Station Master—a Babu resplendent in a blue chupkan and a round blue cap—fluttered nervously and ingratiatingly to and fro collecting fares and handing tickets to the late-comers.

From the windows of two or three yellow carriages other khaki-clad figures poked their heads out, sticking their elbows into their neighbours, as the train pulled up in the usual pandemonium of a small Indian station. Coolies barged out while others tried to barge in at the same moment; and children and women ran up and down the platform trying to follow their stolid but often be-muddled husbands and brothers and uncles and cousins.

The white men—mostly red and rosy where topees and clothes permitted a view—with authoritative voice hustled the coolies good-humouredly aside, and greeted each other with a volley of chaff from platform to carriage and back again.

"Hallo!" "Hal-lo!" "Hal—lo!" in all tones—from pleased surprise to benign tolerance.

"Come on in here; lots of room," to a pal, or "Pretty full up" to an unknown or undesired traveller.

They all settled in somehow, and the interminable wait in the heat and stuffiness began. Luggage got piled in, and the hubbub outside gradually subsided; but still the train remained stationary.

"Got many horses, you fellows," said a fat khaki Pickwick from the most comfortable corner—a Lieutenant by his stars.

"Only half a dozen or so" was the reply.

"Then why the dickens weren't they put in before and save us this beastly loitering here?"

"Oh, I don't know. Monty was late as usual, and Babbler's brute wouldn't go in, confound her! Anyhow the train's darned late already. *You* fellows must have kept it for ages."

"Not us. Debonair and these chaps from the East of course—Toffs with cars. Got 'em stuck in the river-bed and had to have old Grampian's '*hathi*' to pull 'em out. Worst of these cheap cars!"

This sally was met with a feeble smile, while Debonair, in his carefully-preserved Irish accent, assured the newcomers that it was good for them to learn to wait patiently for their superior officers, which remark was met with a ribald burst of protests.

Conversation became general—"Well! How goes it?" or "You're looking fit, by Jove!" or "How's the Memsahib?" "Many fellows coming from over your way?" and so on, and so on, was heard on every side. There was many a warm hand-clasp and many a brightened eye, while cigarettes were offered and accepted, and the carriage settled down to chatting groups and lolling figures as the train moved off.

The same scene or a similar was enacted again and again as many stations came and went behind the crawling train.

The N. B. M. R.'s—the No-Better-Mounted-Rifles—were going into Juldiguri for their Annual Camp of Exercise.

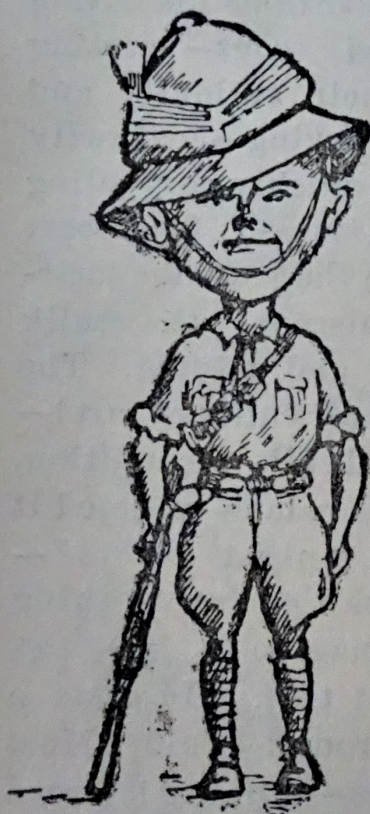
SCENE II.—THE RUDE AWAKENING.

A GREY dawn. A burst of bugles rather hoarse and brassy.

"Blank that—red—Reveille ! Morning again ! Losh, what a head I 've got. Mouth like a wooden god !" And Trooper Berry, after trying vainly to moisten dry lips with a leathery tongue, turned over with a groan for another spell of sweet oblivion. What seemed a moment afterwards, and in a voice which apparently started from his boots and was barely able to

last the distance, Sergeant Growlston roused poor Berry with a "Come on you lazy devil ! The breakfast call's gone ! Get out of it ! You're in my tent and I'm responsible for you. Move !" And a large bony hand unceremoniously pulled the listless form half out of bed.

Berry opens "Pink eyes, pale blue, that used to be so bright", and sees his long lanky aggressor. Awful type of merry-as-a-lark-in-the-morning sort of demon—smoking in a foul pipe a soul-destroying mixture ! A paleness over-spreads the victim's flushed features, and he turns his eyes swiftly away and views the cheerless litter of the tent. There are other two stretchers—empty. Clothes are everywhere. The third occupant of the tent is just struggling

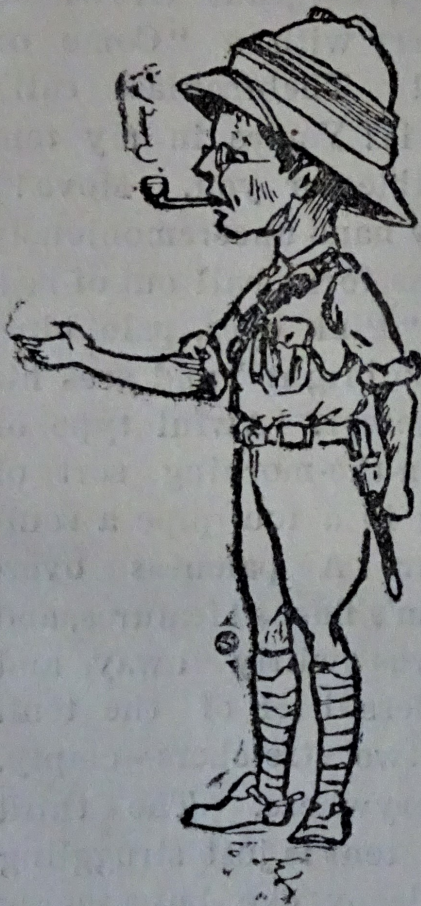


TROOPER BERRY.

into a shirt, with hair awry and a sleepy eye, but a merry smile withal : the dauntless Peter—Berry's bed-ward guide of the night before and gay companion.

Presently Peter joins in, and old "Beery", as Peter calls him, is dragged forcibly to his feet and has to start dressing, his faithful henchman handing him his clothes and pulling on his socks and boots. The morning tea standing cold and uninviting catches his eye. He pleads for soda and gets it, while the others threaten to desert him for the more congenial Mess House, as comrades hurry by coughing and

rasping and toying with cigarettes and cracking doubtful jokes. The idea of being left alone in misery hastens his toilet. Still buttoning and being buttoned by his mates, he issues forth: weak, wan, and weary, but brave and getting bolder. Putties—anyhow. Topee—a bit tight this morning. Breeches—clammy from the day before and horribly uncomfortable where the skin's worn thin. Boots—hard and searching where the blisters threaten. But every step shakes off sleep, and every breath brings courage.



SERGEANT GROWLISTON.

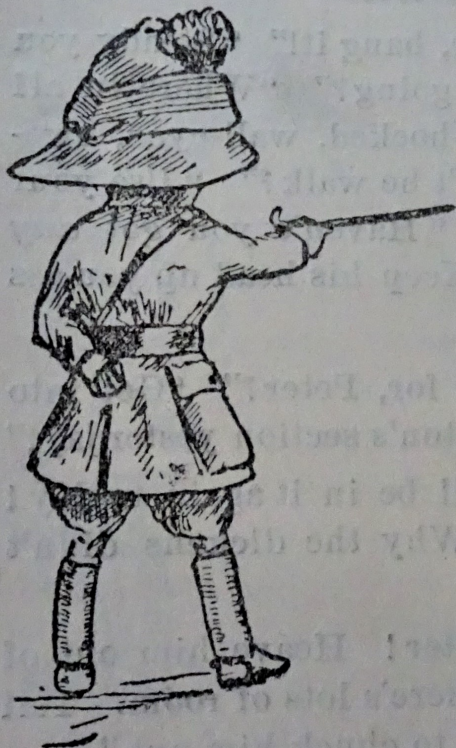
Breakfast rather dims his rising ardour. Poached eggs—boasting blatantly of their antiquity and broken in the serving—float redly in the ruins of a quickly-congealing blueish-whiteish mess. The toast cold and sodden; the porridge tasteless and reminiscent; the milk thinned, tinned, and tainted. The Tea—triumph of all culinary art!—disguised beyond all recognition, and tasting to his palate—vitiated it may be by the “night before”—more like varnish than any thing else he can imagine! His stomach revolts at this. He casts a wistful look round—Cold Meat—Good! Pickles—Ripping! Bread—Tophole! Butter—A 1! Marmalade,—fruit,—another soda. Ha!

Life is not an empty dream, begad! Things are righting themselves. He greets other late-comers with an air of virtuous superiority, and is just tackling a second slice of bread and marmalade, when his remembrancer,—the long, lanky conscience-in-the-flesh, his Sergeant,—nudges him crudely and growls out: “Come on! Five minutes to go before Boot-and-saddle.” Poor Berry stuffs his mouth full, smothering a mild “Damn” with the crust; exchanges a cheery wave of the hand with a passing friend;

and faces the serious part of the day's duties doggedly but without enthusiasm.

The crispness of the morning air; the bustle of the gathering men; the brisk snort and restlessness of chargers saddled and stamping and accoutred for the day's manoeuvres;—puts life into him. He squares his shoulders. Fun's fun, but this after all is his pleasure and his duty. Visions of France and Flanders stiffen his back: he salutes a passing officer smartly with a finished cut-away of the hand.

SCENE III.—PARADE.



THE NEW BROOM.

BERRY curses inwardly that he hasn't got a horse for to-day. His own is crocked, and he has to get Home on leave *somehow*, and he cannot borrow *every* day. It means footslogging. And this raises visions of the New Broom! Every bristle stiff, so to speak: sharp and neat and biting, in immaculate kit, surveying the little band of "dismounts" with an unapproving eye; his own charger standing near—shining, polished impatient:—

"Men on foot aren't much good in a Mounted Regiment, and you can't learn much of a Cavalryman's work unless you provide

yourselves with horses. Dismounted horse-soldiers are not generally very useful, and seldom" (with a grim look at a grimy bandolier) "ornamental!"

Turning to the Officer told off to command them—"Mr. Whisper, I want you to give these fellows some thorough instruction in foot drill till 9-30; then join Mr. Pyker, the D-S-P and his Police"—just a suspicion of a sneer on

the word and a flickering eyelid towards the now drooping "landsturm"—"in the scheme for to-day."

A curt acknowledgement of the responding salute,—an easy swing into the saddle,—and the dapper figure canters off to buzz around the drilling squadrons on the Polo Ground. A mosquito—without the rankling bite; a wasp—without the poison. Alert to strike—and sharply; but keenness and capability are balm to heal the wound.

To revert. The men on foot watch their Squadrons fall in, and we may as well fall in with them. Shouts of "A—!" "G—!" "K—!" "C—!" ring out impatiently; while the Non-Commissioned Officers hustle in the loiterers—

"Get out, will you?" "Move over, hang it!" "Steady you brute!" "Where the blazes are *you* going?" "Where in all that's—ruddy—*did* you get that cow-hocked, wall-eyed, ewe-necked, goose-rumped camel?" "Can't he walk?" "Use your bally legs." Give him the spur!" "Haven't you got *any* hands?" "O Lord, look at him!" "Keep his head up you ass and he can't bite".

"What are you squeezing in here for, Peter?" "Get into your own section; you were in Growlston's section yesterday!"

"And that's why I'm jiggered if I'll be in it again to-day! Send some of those new blighters. Why the dickens didn't they come in sooner, anyway?"

"*Who* did you say? Oh, *that* rotter! Heave him out of your bally tent or come into mine, there's lots of room. Tell old Pick about it and he'll get Fireball to chuck him out."

"Tr-roop! TenShun! Fromtheright. Num-ba!"

"One!" "Two!" "Three!"

"As you were. Wake up, for Heaven's sake. The trumpet will go in a minute."

"Fromtheright. Num-ba!"

And so on through the routine.

"Twenty-five present on parade, Sir!"

Pickwick, the plethoric Lieutenant, looking a bit boiled and riding like a sack, has trotted up—

"Ah! Very good, Sergeant Smearer. Two troops I see, and yourself as serre-file. You seem to arrange that pretty well: three times this week!

"Still got that sore leg, Sir, and can't ride in the ranks"—*sotto voce* and with a violent wink—"with such a lot of kutchu blighters!"

"Very good, Sergeant. I understand!"

Smeared is a useful man: knows his work, and helps the officer he cares for out of many a tight place.

"Mr. Seaman in charge of No. 2? Right!"

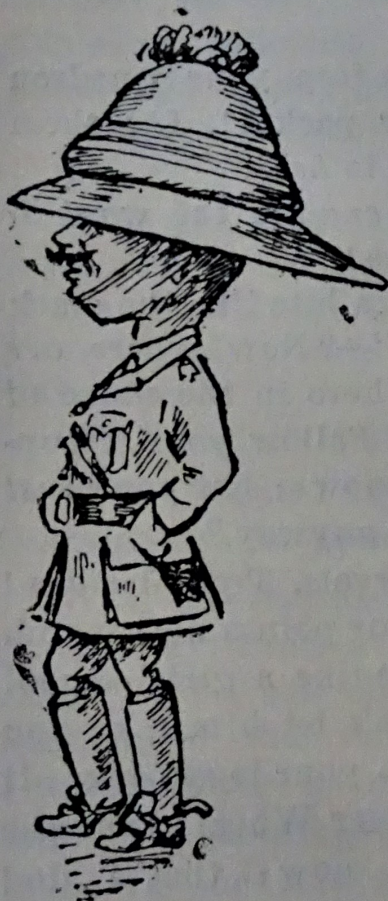
"First Troop! 'Shun!' Centre Guide—*Prove!* As you were! Sergeant Lantern, centre guide! Take a good look at him please! Remember to keep behind me, Sergeant. Take good stock of my horse, and be sure you know it from behind. That all right?"

"Yessir! Know you both from behind, Sir, anywhere." (There's a general titter.) Then Pickwick bawls out—

"Stop talking in the ranks! Put out that cigarette, will you? Here's the Major!"

Gay Debonair, on a beautiful mount—fretting and stepping and passaging—the Major carelessly draws up his gauntlet, plays with his cane and feels the sit of his tunic, listening absently meantime to the replies to his stereotyped questions as to the numbers on parade, &c.

Then, as the leading Squadron moves off—
"Third Squadron! Walk—*March!*—Just carry on to the Polo Ground, please, Mr. Pickwick. I'll catch you up in a jiffy."



SERGEANT-MAJOR FIREBALL.

Turning, he gallops back through the emptying Camp for an imaginary cigarette case, to give Miss Bright-eyes and her early friends a chance to see his gallant figure and his faultless seat!

SCENE IV.—DRILL.

IT is wonderful how the drill improves with an hour or two's work. The men wake up and the horses settle down, while the cobwebs are brushed off the Officers with no uncertain hand—the redoubtable New Broom himself. Listen to him!—

"Captain Cribbage! Get further away from your Squadron please; you don't want them in your pocket! Let them *see* you, and then they may have a chance to *hear*."

"Gallop out, Sir! Now, a bit more *snap* in the word of command! It's half the battle. Look here!"

In a clear ringing, metallic voice with a bite like the crack of a whip—"TROOPS! RI-I-GHT WHEEL!"—"Now where *are* those Troop-leaders! Give the *signal*! Where in the name of Glory are you going—that second Troop! Follow your Troop-leader, can't you? He's not perfect, Lord knows; but you *must follow* him, and then *you* won't be wrong, anyway."

"Keep together there! Watch your intervals, Troop-leaders! The centre Troop-leader directs. Take your points and march STRAIGHT. Don't wobble all over the place like a girls' school out for a walk! RIDE your horse, you! Don't let him take you where *he* wants: RIDE him! Sit up and get your legs back, all of you! Now, try that again. Troops! RIGHT Wheel! Increase the pace on the outer flanks. Steady, now: that'll do! Squadron—HALT! Sloppy—very sloppy; but better. Keep them moving a bit, Captain Cribbage, please. They want pulling together. That Centre Guide of the second Troop might be swopped with some one who knows *something* about it."

Meantime Captain Potsdale is manœuvring his Squadron at the other end of the ground with much strenuous energy and sarcastic bullying:—

"Keep in line there, can't you! Good Heavens, you'd think this was your first parade! What do you think *you're* doing?"—

this to a youngster who has fallen out from the first Troop and upset the formation of the men behind—

"I've broken a stirrup-leather, Sir. May I fall out?"

"That's right! A jolly fine soldier *you'd* make. Why can't you look over your saddlery *before* coming into Camp? A *Corps* saddle I suppose: not your *own*! Any bally excuse for a loaf—Upon my Sam! Well, off with you, and Lord help you if you're not back within 10 minutes!"

As the boy rides off, a rapidly approaching figure warns Captain Potsdale that another sweep of the New Broom is imminent. He sets his Squadron moving again with a word of command followed by an undercurrent of blood-curdling threats against any man who lets him down.

"Captain Potsdale!"

"Sir!"

"The Colonel wants the Regiment formed up in mass at the south end of the Polo Ground at 9-30: that's"—a quick shoot of the wrist to see the exact time—"25 minutes from now. Your Squadron will be on the left of "A", and face west. Understand?"

"In Squadron Column, Sir?"

"Yes: Didn't I say in *mass*? That's generally done with the Squadron in Squadron Column—so far as *I* know!"

With this Parthian shot the flying figure is barely a hundred yards away before a sigh of relief breathes from the heated riders, and a soft chuckle here and there with a whispered joke shows that the tension has relaxed; while Captain Potsdale looks as severe as possible and recommences his reiterative bawling at his Squadron, trying in vain to hold them on the New Broom's curb. With all the will in the world he lacks the hands,—the vim,—the practice,—of the Regular. But lots of conscientious work is put in before the men are dismounted for a breather before joining the other Squadrons for a Regimental Parade and Field Day.

SCENE V.—TACTICS.

It would take too long to tell how Swallow's horse jumped into an old well and was pulled out without a scratch; how

Ariel got dragged three hundred yards with his foot in the stirrup and was rescued by the Terrier with only a bruise or two. How Major Piper was so punctiliously precise in the instructions to his impatient army; and was so determined to thoroughly protect his none too numerous force with patrols, screens of scouts, connecting files, ground-scouts, gallopers, advance and rear guards;—that when the actual moment to attack came it seemed to his bewildered and reduced force to

be a secondary consideration and almost an irrelevant accident in the day's work, instead of being its culminating glory as the C. O. had designed it to be.



How Captain Book-Perfect (otherwise called the Legislator because of his insatiable and irrepressible desire to make ponderous but educative speeches on all occasions, and on any subject) gave a wrong word of command! How he blushed after it as some poor ordinary fellow might have done who has been caught telling a deliberate falsehood, and how rumour whispers that since that day his mathematically parted hair has shown a tendency to curl at the mere remembrance of this unpardonable *gaucherie*!

How the Infantry lay low until the Cavalry Scouts passed, and then annihilated the main body under Major Piper. How Lieutenant Wren with a single Troop destroyed the Infantry Force under Captain Potsdale long before the said supposed annihilation.

CAPTAIN MARTINET. How—worst calamity of all!—the tiffin took the wrong turning and the men had to fight their way back to Camp baked and boiled—but breadless and foodless—against every military canon in the Drill-book!

How Captain Martinet went off at a dashing pace to fight a glorious pursuing action against the retiring foe: and was never

seen again! How he maintained he had out-manceuvred the enemy, seized their Camp (incidentally his own—*with a canteen*), and waited fearlessly on the outskirts to wipe them out on their return. How the umpires, apparently envious of his success, blew the "Cease Fire" just as the action was about to begin and at the very moment when poor Pickwick had sacrificed himself and all his men in a desperate forlorn hope to harass the rear, thus enabling the gallant Captain to make all his wonderful dispositions—too late!

How during the night manoeuvres Captain Celt, a brilliant member of the Regimental Staff, justified his ownership of the much-coveted red-tab hall-mark of the aristocracy of brains by capturing single-handed at least three prisoners! Their names and rank were ruthlessly censored in the subsequent account of the operations, while it is inadvisable (for obvious reasons) to divulge in detail the subtle plan adopted with so much success. It is enough to indicate that it hinged on the magic word "*usquebagh*" and a favourable wind!

SCENE VI.—THE MESS HOUSE.

How the New Broom's lectures were cruelly called 'gas-attacks'; while the fact was that he stood '*sans peur et sans reproche*' night after night facing an unruly throng thirsting for his downfall, ready to run a tilt with all or any comers, without being more than unhorsed, once—and that only for a moment. How on the last night he came off his critical pedestal, and was found to be human, even as the rest of us, and maintained hotly that we were the best Volunteer Corps in the World!

How the Commanding Officer in the most serious part of his speech lost his place and repeated solemnly two or three times: "I cannot stand here—I cannot stand here" until the Mess House rocked with laughter and offers of support; refusing for a frenzied minute to listen to his explanation that the sentence was incomplete!

How Berry and Pickwick and Growlston and Monty and the Commanding Officer and the New Broom and the Legislator and the Railway Magnate and Martinet and Grampian and

as Mr. Ismay, and such Stewards as the "Apostle," Mr. Ross Craik, and Major Henderson. The first game between the Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles and the Ditchers quite justified the handicap; but in the second game the Defenders (Bihar) had a runaway victory over Dhanbad, to whom they could easily have given 5 goals instead of 2. In both cases the winners scored most by superior team play, the result of greater experience in tournaments and closer association in practice. There was plenty of incident to make the show attractive from a spectacular point of view. The polo purist was glad to admit that the average standard of proficiency was a cut above station polo.

N. B. M. RIFLES *vs.* THE DITCHERS.

The Ditchers, who received 2 goals, were the second string of the Calcutta Polo Club. They were so long getting into their stride that the Duars men were able to wipe out the handicap points before the first chukker was half over. The Ditchers then pulled themselves together and put up a very good fight. They were by no means out-classed; but their combination was not so good as that of their opponents, who won in the end—practically on the post—by 5 goals to 4. But for the early indecision and disorganization referred to above, the Ditchers might have pulled the match out of the fire.

The following were the teams:—

N. B. M. RIFLES—Mr. A. H. Balls 1; Captain J. O. Little 2; Major Evan Wood 3; Mr. G. C. Hill back.

THE DITCHERS—Mr. Steele 1; Mr. Olphert 2; Mr. M. Stuart 3; and Mr. A. D. Anderson back.

UMPIRES—Mr. E. C. Apostolides and Mr. C. Ismay.

1ST CHUKKER.—The Northern Bengal men caught their opponents napping, and the fine combination of Little and Wood resulted in the scoring of 2 goals before the Ditchers knew where they were. Hill, playing well up into the game, hit both these through.

SCORE: 2 goals all.

2ND CHUKKER.—The Mounted Rifles opened with a fine attack, which ended in Little scoring the third goal by a

long hard drive. Calcutta then pulled themselves together, and after much galloping all over the ground equalized. The ensuing play was fairly even, and when half-time was called honours were easy.

SCORE: 3 goals all.

3RD CHUKKER.—The Rifles opened with a heavy bombardment of the Calcutta goal; but the defence was so close that it was only at the end of the chukker that they got home from the stick of Balls.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 4 goals; Ditchers 3 goals

4TH CHUKKER.—The ball was hardly set rolling again when the Rifles' forwards got clean away and Little scored amid much applause. The Ditchers, however, were not done with yet. Combining better than at any other time, they made a concerted attack which proved irresistible, Anderson driving home the charge with a smart goal. In the excitement that followed both sides missed badly, and neither flag was seriously threatened. The game ended in favour of the visitors by 1 goal.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 5 goals; Ditchers (+ 2) 4 goals.

SEMI-FINALS.

N. B. M. RIFLES vs. THE DEFENDERS.

The first match was between the Defenders from Bihar and the Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, who on Saturday had disposed of the pretensions of the Ditchers. The easy style in which the Bihar men had taken down the number of the miners from Dhanbad led many of us to think that they would be more than a match for the thrusters from Northern Bengal. They appeared to have the pull in pony power and combination. As the teams started from the same mark, the goal handicap of each being 10 goals, the public odds were on the Defenders. But polo is as gloriously uncertain as cricket. The Rifles began hostilities with fine dash, which literally carried their opponents off their feet. The Defenders were thoroughly *gubraoed* by the unexpected tactics, and allowed the enemy to obtain a lead which they could never diminish. From find to finish the Rifles were 2 goals the better

team, and their superiority was apparent in every department of the game. They hit better and straighter and got more out of their ponies. The game was fast throughout, but not always symmetrical. In some of the chukkers both sides indulged in a lot of aimless hitting, which made the traffic a bit slow for the spectators. In the very 1st chukker the Rifles got a lead of 2 goals by a spurt so spirited that one wondered if it could be sustained. We began to have our doubts when the Defenders got the upper hand in the 2nd chukker. The half-time interval gave the Duars men a new lease, of which they made the most. But it was in the final bout that they discovered resource and reserve of force which made their victory inevitable. Little rode in the van all the time, but he was splendidly supported. For the Defenders Finch and Sheepshanks did yeoman service, and their flashes of individual prowess were very attractive.

1ST CHUKKER.—The Rifles opened the attack and pressed it home in a way to prevent the Defenders getting a pull on themselves. The defence was not weak, yet it was also not close, and the Rifles swarmed into the enemy's country all the time. After six minutes of bombardment they got the range, and scored twice in rapid succession, the successful marksmen being Balls and Wood.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 2 goals to nil.

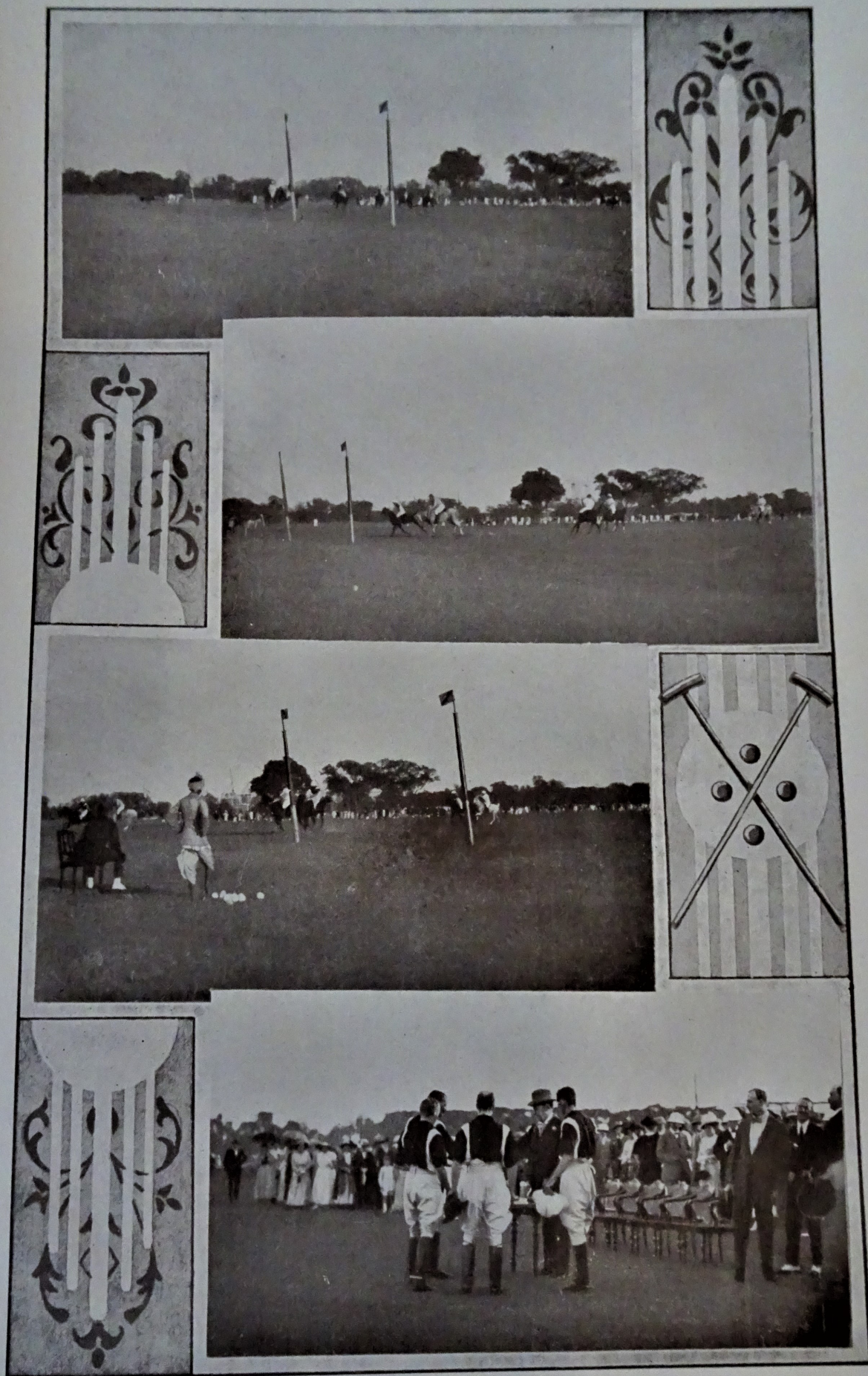
2ND CHUKKER.—The Rifles continued to press, and Rawlins just stopped a dangerous rush. Thereafter the Defenders took charge of things, and Finch and Sheepshanks by good combination beat back the attack and turned the tables on their persistent foes. Their perseverance was eventually rewarded by a goal from the stick of Sheepshanks.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 2 goals; Defenders 1 goal.

3RD CHUKKER.—This was a strenuous round, but barren of result. The play was all over the ground, but the ball was driven anywhere but in a straight line to the flags.

SCORE; N. B. M. Rifles 2 goals; Defenders 1 goal.

4TH CHUKKER.—This was the liveliest bout of all. Both sides exerted their greatest strength. The Rifles scored at first, but Finch by a fine effort again reduced the lead. Just



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before the trumpet called off the contenders, Little restored the early advantage by a long hard drive. The match thus ended in favour of the Northern Bengal men by 4 goals to 2, which clearly and truly represents their superiority on the day's play.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 4 goals; Defenders 2 goals.

The following were the teams:—

N. B. M. RIFLES.—Mr. A. H. Balls 1; Captain J. O. Little 2; Major Evan Wood 3; Mr. G. C. Hill back.

DEFENDERS—Mr. O. Atkins 1; Mr. R. Sheepshanks 2; Mr. W. B. Finch 3; Mr. H. Rawlins back.

UMPIRES—Mr. E. C. Apostolides and Mr. C. Ismay.

FINAL.

N. B. M. RIFLES *vs.* CALCUTTA POLO CLUB "A".

Calcutta society mustered in strength on the polo ground to see the final game. The spectators were rewarded with play fast and full of incident and vicissitude, in which the interest was retained to the end—and a little after. This apparent Irishism is not a rhetorical caprice, but a necessary expedient to describe what really took place—as the sequel will show. The teams in opposition were the Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, who had come victoriously through the rough side of the tournament, and the first string of the Calcutta Polo Club. The aggregate goal handicap of the former being 10 goals and of the latter 8 goals, Calcutta started with a lead of 1 goal. Most people who had seen the form of the visitors in the earlier stages of the game believed that they were let off lightly, and would soon wipe out the difference. Their cue was to watch Major Henderson, the most expensive man in the whole tournament, his handicap being 6 goals. The task was assigned to Mr. Balls, the well-mounted No. 1, who executed it with wonderful self-abnegation. To the uninitiated spectator he appeared to be a veritable passenger in the boat, but the Calcutta back knew differently. At the start the tactics of the Mounted Rifles seemed doomed to failure. Calcutta opened with a tremendous offensive which fairly rattled the enemy,

who were obliged to give ground in a way that predicted demoralization. But there was little or no combination among the flying squad which Henderson had to command and coach. The way in which they constantly bunched and impeded their Back was enough to make angels weep: yet they rode for all they were worth, and their hitting was often hard and straight. By half-time they were leading by 2 goals to nil, and appeared to have the enemy well in hand. When hostilities were resumed a change came. The Calcutta forwards were all over the shop, but never in the right place. The Rifles took immediate advantage of this loose play, and combining with all the skill which gave them the victory over Bihar in the semi-finals, first drew level with Calcutta, and then took the lead amid great applause. Calcutta, sobered by this unexpected onslaught, pulled themselves together, and fairly held their own. Then fortune favoured them. A bad cross by the Rifles' No. 3 gave them a penalty shot at goal, and Henderson made no mistake. There was only a minute and a half of play left, and the excitement of the crowd became intense. Some of the players also lost their balance, and forgot the simple rule that in the case of a tie in the final chukker the game must proceed until the umpires call a halt. When the time-keeper's trumpet sounded the lapse of the regulation 30 minutes, the Calcutta forwards pulled up their ponies despite their captain's shout to go on. The Rifles nipped in like a shot, and Little hit the winning goal. It were needless to point the moral.

The result of the game made the Rifles 2 goals better than Calcutta, but that exaggerates the deficiency of the vanquished. The victors were better schooled, and made the most of the experience of the games they won against the second string of Calcutta and the redoubtable Defenders of Bihar. There was not much to choose between the ponies, and both sides rode for all they were worth. In Major Henderson Calcutta had the only first-class player in the whole *mêlée*: but he had to manœuvre raw levies full of grit and vim, but lacking steadiness and knowledge of team play. The contest of these forces did not provide great polo: but it did provide a stirring tug-of-war, which the better side won.

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The following were the teams:—

N. B. M. RIFLES—Mr. A. H. Balls 1; Captain J. O. Little 2; Major Evan Wood 3; Mr. G. C. Hill back.

CALCUTTA—Mr. Ibbotson 1; Mr. Milton 2; Mr. McCall 3; Major Henderson back.

UMPIRES—Mr. E. S. Apostolides and Mr. C. Ismay.

1ST CHUKKER.—Calcutta was pressed at the start, but Ibbotson with a fine run up the ground transferred the play to the other end, where for several minutes the Rifles' goal was in danger. The ground at the far east corner was very bumpy, and there was much missing by both sides. After some up and down play, during which the Rifles nearly scored, Calcutta again took charge, but the forwards muffed a fine chance of scoring. The round ended in Calcutta still holding the lead by virtue of their handicap.

SCORE: Calcutta 1 goal to nil.

2ND CHUKKER.—Henderson urged his team on to the attack, and beat back the enemy inch by inch. The Rifles were bothered by an incessant bombardment, which eventually proved effective, McCall scoring a fine goal for Calcutta by a long shot from a difficult angle. Calcutta should have scored again before half-time, but the forwards lost their chance by a want of cohesion.

SCORE: Calcutta 2 goals to nil.

3RD CHUKKER.—This was a most sensational bout. Play began in the Calcutta end, where the Rifles swarmed to the attack. The defenders were carried off their feet by the rush and got hopelessly mixed up. Little took advantage of the confusion to score an easy goal. This reverse, instead of pulling Calcutta together, disorganized them all the more. Henderson was impeded instead of supported; and there being in consequence little or no defence, the Rifles scored 2 more goals, one by Wood and the other by Balls.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 3 goals; Calcutta 2 goals.

4TH CHUKKER.—Calcutta tried hard to retrieve the fortunes of the day, but were met by a very close defence, until Wood,

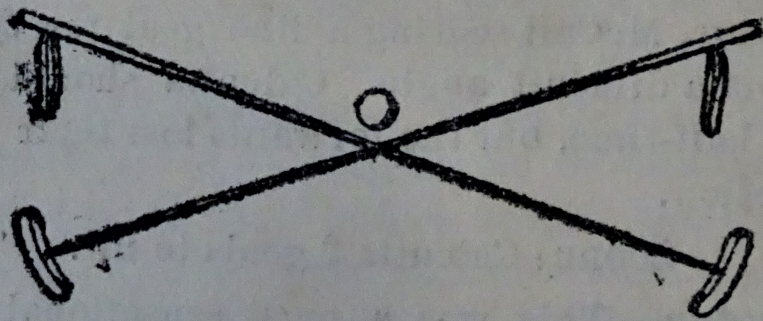
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on an impulsive chestnut pony he could not control, crossed McCall most dangerously. This gave Calcutta a penalty shot, which Henderson sent home; and the score was level at 3 goals all. Then Greek met Greek, and the spectators could hardly keep their seats for excitement. Calcutta might have prevailed in the end but for the hesitation referred to above. They pulled up when the trumpet sounded "Time," and let the vigilant enemy in, to end an exciting game with an easy goal.

SCORE: N. B. M. Rifles 4 goals; Calcutta (+1) 3 goals.

His Excellency Lord Carmichael in handing the cups to the winners complimented them on their dash and consistency—a compliment they richly deserved. With the usual cheers a most sporting tournament was brought to an end.

We owe it to the enthusiastic Committee that there was a tournament at all. We owe it to Lord Carmichael that it was played in the Christmas holidays.





1. Mr. A. H. BALLS. 2. CAPT. J. O. LITTLE. 3. Maj. F. E. WOOD. (CAPT.) 4. Mr. G. C. HILL.
REGIMENTAL POLO TEAM. 1915-16.

SQUADRON AND COMPANY DOINGS.

"A" Squadron.

DURING the year 1915-16 "A" Squadron has done much useful work and the keenness of the individual members has been maintained. There are still a few men in the district who have not seen fit to join any Volunteer Corps, and this is regrettable, and—to say the least—very unpatriotic.

A few new members joined during the season, and the roll shows a total strength of 103. Two more of the squadron joined the Reserve of Officers, viz. Troopers B. H. Humphrys and G. F. Dixon.

Parades have been held weekly at different centres, Darjeeling, Chongtong and Teesta, with a squadron parade monthly at Lebong. On the whole the parades have been well attended; but there is still a good deal of room for improvement in this respect, more especially at the squadron parades, the numbers at which were at times most disappointing, the men from long distances being, strange to say, the most regular attendants. At the Garrison Field Day under General May, which was held on the 24th of May 1915 near Ghoom, a Darjeeling troop was on parade and was employed chiefly as mounted patrols: their work was afterwards highly commended by the General.

Forty-four members attended the Intercession Church Parade on the 4th August at Darjeeling.

Class firing has been carried out on the Lebong, Tukdah and Chongtong Ranges, and the musketry standard of the squadron is good.

A proficiency examination was held during Camp, when Lance-Sergeant Crees and Corporal Jones passed with credit.

The Camp of Exercise on the whole was well attended; still there is no doubt that a greater effort might have been made by some who were not there to attend for a few days at least: one or two very keen and good Volunteers were unavoidably absent as leave to attend could not be obtained. At the Assault-at-Arms the squadron was successful in carrying off a fair number of events, amongst others the Led Horses Competition

Our time-honoured Prize-Shoot was held at Kurseong on the 6th December. It was a pleasant day, and the range looked quite festive with the flags of the Allies fluttering in the breeze. About 30 members of the squadron were present. The results of the various competitions are published elsewhere in the Report.

The day following the Prize-Shoot was devoted to the annual Assault-at-Arms. A large number of competitors and spectators assembled on the ground. The weather was ideal, and the meeting proved a huge success. There was keen competition, and the only pity was that more members of other squadrons did not come to compete. The Individual-Jumping was one of the open events, and was won by Squadron Sergeant-Major Green on Corporal Steward's "Janet". The Balaclava Mêlée won by the Hope Town Troop proved very interesting; and the bomb-throwing, for which there were about 25 entries, did not prove as easy as many anticipated. A clay bomb had to be thrown from behind a mound into a contrivance representing an enemy trench. It was won by Corporal Steward. A difficult event was the "Grooming" competition, and Sergeant-Trumpeter Terry is to be congratulated on winning the cup presented by Trooper F. B. Renaut. Points were given for systematic grooming in workmanlike style, including washing of hoofs. Sergeant-Trumpeter Terry's demonstration should have been an object lesson to many a syce. The result of the several competitions is published elsewhere.

The Annual Camp at Jalpaiguri drew a good muster from the squadron. The work of the combined "A" and "B" Squadron was consistently good, and all ranks are to be congratulated on the efficiency which their keenness and their good work at training parades has brought about. Moreover the spirit in which every man "played the game" in Camp made the command of such a squadron a pleasure and an honour.

Two members obtained Certificates of Proficiency in Camp: Troopers H. S. Gibson and B. E. Turner; the former "with clearness".

The "B" Squadron Team, consisting of Captain Wearing, V. D., Corporal Russell, and Troopers Birch, Gibson, and

Collinson, won the Inter-Squadron Shooting Cup competed for at Jalpaiguri on 24th February, with the good score of 137 points, "C" Squadron being a good second.

In the Regimental Sports Troopers Oakley and Pelly are to be congratulated on carrying off nearly all the prizes in the foot events. In the Tent-pegging and other mounted events, however, fortune seemed to have deserted us, and "B" Squadron had to be content with a good second in the Tent-pegging with Swords, and little besides. There were plenty of "B" Squadron competitors however; and more practice will bring better luck next year.

In October a gloom was cast over the squadron by the sudden death of Lieutenant W. K. Webb. He was a very keen and truly popular Officer, and his loss is deeply felt by all who knew him.

Farrier-Sergeant Abrahall and Squadron Sergeant-Major Partridge have during the year both joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers: they have the good wishes of the whole squadron.

We have a new Subaltern Officer in 2nd Lieutenant W. J. Davis, and the squadron may be congratulated on this very suitable appointment. He has a long experience of "B" Squadron, and we fully expect to see the Hope Town Troop next season one of the best troops in the Squadron—and, perhaps, in the Regiment.

"C" Squadron.

THE work of this squadron has been carried on during the past season with keenness and energy, and we may fairly claim to have made real progress in practical efficiency.

Troop parades were held regularly during the rains of 1915, and were generally well attended. The 4th (Jalpaiguri) Troop has lost several of its leading members, gone on war service or transferred from the district; and as the troop is composed largely of Government and Railway officials and is somewhat scattered, the difficulty of getting good troop drills has been much felt.

All through the cold weather squadron parades were held monthly, as well as local troop drills; and the improvement in all-round efficiency was very marked. At the same time, it was disappointing to find that the numbers attending squadron parades were generally less than was expected considering the strength of the squadron; troop drills were proportionately far better attended. Members should realize that squadron parades can be held but seldom; that they are a most essential part of preliminary training for Camp; and that all ranks are expected to allow nothing but really urgent reasons to prevent their attendance.

In November the Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers of the squadron had the advantage of attending a most useful Class of Instruction under the Adjutant at Mal. The results of this were most satisfactory, and it is to be hoped that in future classes will be held regularly, so that leaders of every rank may receive this invaluable training.

His Excellency the Governor of Bengal passed through the district in November, and the members of the 2nd and 3rd Troops had the honour of providing a Guard of Honour at Mal Station.

Sixteen members of the squadron have joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers and other branches of the Army, and most of them have now seen active service.

The death of Squadron Sergeant-Major Instructor Martin at Mal last August was a great loss to the squadron. He was a most energetic, capable and popular Instructor, and had done much for "C" Squadron.

In our last record of squadron doings we had occasion to regret the apathy of a few able-bodied Europeans in our district who were standing aloof from the Volunteers: it is pleasant to record that most if not all of these are now with us.

We have several times in recent years seen the Inspector of Volunteers in India at Mal for his inspection of a part of the Corps; but as there is for the time being no Inspector, this event did not take place this season. We are certain that next time an Inspector comes to Mal he will note a vast improvement in our turn-out and efficiency.

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"C" Squadron formed the 2nd Squadron in Camp, as last year, and the work of all ranks showed the benefit of the sound training previously carried out. Numbers, however, were rather disappointing, and the remarks above with reference to squadron parades apply here also. It should be a recognized rule that during Camp period no more than one European should be left on any garden in the district; otherwise that garden is not doing its full duty in training for the defence of India.

"C" Squadron Polo Team after a good game suffered defeat by the invincible "K" in the final of the Inter-Squadron Tournament. Our representatives secured a goodly number of prizes in the Regimental Sports, and Sergeant Watson in particular has again to be congratulated on his successes.

Taking it all round, the past season has been a good one for "C" Squadron: may we say that 1916-17 will be a much better one, if some of the younger members can be roused to just a little more vigour both in soldiering and sport?

"G" Squadron.

THROUGHOUT the past year the members of "G" Squadron have shown an exemplary keenness to make themselves efficient, and their efforts have been crowned with no little success. Much of the improvement noticeable is due to the unremitting zeal of the Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers, but probably just as much is owed to the very excellent example set by the older Volunteers—men who might well be considered in normal times to have done their "little bit" of Volunteer service, but who in this squadron have gallantly set the pace and put to shame the backward youngsters, of whom unfortunately there are still a few.

Troop drills were held every week on the Nagrakata side, while the Telepara and Hantapara Troops held combined drills every fortnight with local drills the intervening weeks, and in the cold weather the whole squadron paraded together once a month. Making allowance for ill health and inclemency

of weather, the bad state of roads and uncertainty of rivers, it may be considered that drills throughout the year were well attended: the general feeling was that notwithstanding the many difficulties that stand in the way of drill attendance (particularly in the rains), it was up to every man to do all he could to back up the energetic Commanding Officer and the Adjutant for the welfare of the Corps, and this was certainly done with results that were not a little satisfactory. The Adjutant paid us periodic visits, and we owe him much for the energetic and sympathetic way he corrected our many errors and generally dressed us down for our own good.

Without the generous assistance afforded us by the Manager of the Bengal-Duars Railway we never could have got the men together for the combined parades, and we thank him heartily for the ready way that arrangements were made for the entrainment of men and of horses.

Major Gollan instituted a system of compulsory military sports after squadron parades which proved a very successful innovation, for many an interesting contest resulted between the troops, and much latent talent was discovered which otherwise would probably have "lain hidden".

The Field Firing and Judging Distance competitions held in the Nagrakata district in March under the direction of Lieutenant Milne were a very great success, and we should like more of this practical work, for it is extremely interesting and we need it sorely.

"G" Squadron appeared in fair numbers at the Annual Camp, but we cannot help the feeling that there were some absentees who with just a little more energy and "*bandobust*" might have come in for a few days' training, to the immense benefit of themselves and of the squadron.

Farrier-Sergeant Cargill's section carried off the Tent-pegging with Swords competition in the Sports, and this keen sportsman scored a popular success in winning the Heavy Weight Cup in the Regimental Point-to-Point on his "Ben Hur".



PERMANENT STAFF - 1916.

S. S-M. I. JACKSON.
R. S-M. DYBALL.

S. S-M. I. WEARN. S. S-M. I. GREEN.
CAPT. & ADJT. J. O. LITTLE.

S. S-M. I. RAYBOULD. S. S-M. I. CASS.
O.R.Q.M.S. COLLINSON.

Major Gollan, after 10 days' strenuous soldiering, proceeded direct from Jalpaiguri Camp on leave Home; but we expect him back in October to the command of "G" with reinvigorated health and all the newest notions on squadron training.

"K" Squadron.

THE season 1915-16 has been a very successful one. Weekly troop parades were held at Hasimara, Kalchini, Chuapara, Newlands, and Purnea; and squadron parades were held monthly at the different troop head quarters, the Adjutant being frequently present.

The Commanding Officer's parade at Chuapara during December was very well attended.

The extension of Camp period to 10 days has given every member of the squadron an opportunity to attend: this year the number of "K" Squadron in Camp was the largest on record.

Non-Commissioned Officers generally now appear to recognize their responsibilities; but it is to be regretted that a few Section Leaders have not yet grasped the necessity for preliminary instruction *before* parades. The Commanding Officer expressed his pleasure at the good results obtained by Sergeant Leo Smith of the Newlands Troop; and great credit is due to the members for their regular attendance at parades throughout the season, especially in a district where there are considerable natural difficulties in the way of getting about.

Eleven members of this squadron have joined the forces for active service, viz.—

Corporal W. H. de W. Waller, who is now Captain and Adjutant, Army Service Corps.

Trooper S. L. E. Skeen, Captain, Army Service Corps.

Lance-Corporal S. Bostock Smith, Lieutenant, Army Service Corps.

Trooper E. G. Landon, Flying Corps.

Trooper J. Tyson-Tyson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

Corporal K. C. Duff, Indian Army Reserve of Officers
(Quartermaster, 16th Cavalry).

Trooper L. Macdonald, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

Trooper A. E. C. McGavin, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

Trooper J. J. W. Williams, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

Trooper R. R. Duff, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

Trooper J. M. Macdonald, who joined the Colours at Home.

Trooper J. Tyson-Tyson has to our deep regret been killed in action. He was the first man of "K" Squadron to come east of the Torsa, and has been associated with this squadron for many years; he was a good shot and keen sportsman, and his loss is deeply mourned throughout the Regiment.

A few Non-Commissioned Officers of "K" attended the Class of Instruction held at Mal during November under the Adjutant. Attendance at these classes is the quickest way to learn. All mistakes on parade are at once corrected, and after a few turns in command even a beginner gets the confidence necessary for efficiency.

Only a few members of this squadron have availed themselves of the opportunity afforded by the Charger Fund, and the advantages of the Fund are commended to any members who are still without suitable charges.

"K" Squadron was well represented in the team sent by the Regiment to compete for the Carmichael Polo Cup; and we have to congratulate the team on their fine play which resulted in the cup being brought to the Regiment.

There has been a good deal of sickness among the ponies in our district, which it should be remembered is *not* a good climate for horse-flesh. Syces are not too reliable, and members will do well to bear in mind the Arab proverb—"The master's eye makes the horse fat."

An excellent article on horsemastership in last year's Annual Report is worthy of more attention; and perhaps the following points might be added:—

The water on many gardens is deficient in lime; correct this by adding a teaspoonful of ordinary slaked lime to every bucket of the pony's drinking water.

Want of careful attention when returning hot from work is the beginning of many an equine sickness: *insist* on syces rubbing down their ponies properly at once.

Watch your pony's clothing at night in the cold weather, and gradually increase clothing as the nights get colder: changes of temperature are sudden and severe.

Squadron Sergeant-Major Instructor Jackson has been assiduous in his attentions to all the scattered troops of this straggling squadron. We hope that in the coming season his motor-cycle will somewhat lighten his labours.

The past year has seen the squadron pulling together better than ever before, and every troop has made a decided advance in efficiency. Let us push on still further in 1916-17, and make "K" not only the best Squadron at Polo—but also on Parade.

"M" Company.

This Company has had another busy and successful year. The numbers continued to increase, and at one time reached a total of 127. Drills were held weekly throughout the season, chiefly under Section Commanders. Company drills usually took the form of Field Days, which invariably were held around the wooded outskirts of Birch Hill.

On the 5th September 1915 we had a very interesting outing—popularly known as "Dog-and-stick Parade"—in conjunction with the local members of "A" Squadron, at the settling tanks at Senchal. Sections were given separate routes, reports being taken from Section Commanders as to the state of the roads and surrounding country. Outpost reconnaissance and advance and rear guards were also practised. The march home began at about 3-30 P.M., visual training, judging distance, and road reports being practised.

Every one knows that our Maxim Gun has seen its best days: no practical work can be done with it at all, and we shall soon be forgetting all we knew about it. Explanation of the parts and the way to load and unload were about the only work we could get out of it.

Two very enjoyable shooting matches took place during the season: one against a team of Territorials from Lebong, and another against our old opponents from "A". Snap-shooting and slow and rapid firing at ranges varying from 200 to 500

yards were the conditions of each contest. In the match against the Territorials our team included 4 of the local shots of "A" Squadron, the entire team consisting of 8. We won "hands down" each time, the "Terriers" being defeated by over 100 points, and "A" suffering a similar defeat as they did in their previous venture against us, viz. by over 90 points.

Squadron Sergeant-Major Instructor Wearn continues to be attached to the Company, and worked with his usual zeal and devotion.

Instruction was given in the practical use of the bayonet in attack and defence at the Drill Hall, dummies being erected and the men taught to charge and retire.

We have again to congratulate Orderly Room Colour-Sergeant Holland on being Regimental Shot and on winning the Main Cup for the best score made in the Corps in class-firing without repetition.

The "All-Comers" events in "A" and "B" Squadrons Prize-Shoots were both annexed by "M"—Lieutenant Shea winning the event in "A", and Orderly Room Colour-Sergeant Holland taking that in "B". Curiously enough the "All-Comers" in "M" Company's Shoot was won by Trooper Kirby of "A".

The Tindharia Section under Sergeant Mott has done good work during the year, and maintains a high average of efficiency. This section has now lost its old commander and is this year in charge of Sergeant R. Kirby, who seems quite keen, and will doubtless keep up the record of the section.

There were two casualties in the Company during the year: Sergeant H. Richardson, a very old and keen Volunteer, who was a great acquisition to the Company and whose loss will be greatly felt; the other being a Reservist, Volunteer S. Skone, who was at Tindharia, and though on the Reserve List always helped the work of the Company by sparing all the men possible for drill purposes.

Lieutenant H. F. Ward has joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, and is posted to an Engineer Company, where he is doubtless doing good work.

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Twenty members of the Company attended the Regimental Camp of Exercise at Jalpaiguri, taking it by turns, and derived much useful knowledge therefrom.

"E" Company.

"E" COMPANY still continues to be in a very flourishing condition, and the season 1915-16 has been eminently satisfactory. It is true that the outbreak of war took our Officers away *en masse*, but this has been compensated for by an added keenness and enthusiasm on the part of both Recruits and Cadets. Captain Woodhead has been succeeded by 2nd Lieutenant Harvey as Company Commander and 2nd Lieutenant Cuvelier has also been posted to the Company. In addition, we have the invaluable services of Sergeant-Major Instructor Wearn.

We had two Field Days in May, and both were thoroughly enjoyable and instructive, even if the ground we covered was not exactly new to us.

On 20th May we stubbornly defended the golf links at Senchal, and finally fell back in good order in the face of an attack by the superior numbers of "F" and "H" Companies.

The manœuvres were unfortunately interfered with by rain and thick mist, but they were nevertheless well carried out, and to the defence fell the honours of the day.

The second Field Day was held on 24th May, and the early promise of the day was again belied by heavy rain during the afternoon. On this occasion we acted as an outpost in an elaborate scheme of defence, in which the garrisons of Jalapahar and Lebong and a troop of "A" Squadron, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, were defending Ghum from a Gurkha attack. Our task proved to be rather a thankless one, as the enemy delivered their attack well to our left, and captured Ghum without our participating in the engagement.

On 18th June we acted as a Guard of Honour at the Pageant which was held on the Government House ground to celebrate Waterloo Day.

The Company also attended the Intercession Service held at Darjeeling on 4th August.

Perhaps the two great events of the year were the Leslie Cup competition and the General's inspection: the former on 8th September and the latter on 2nd November. The competition for the Leslie Cup was very keen, and the winners—No. I Section under Sergeant Jennings—obtained 88 per cent. General Money after inspecting the Company expressed himself very pleased with the keenness and efficiency generally. He also spoke highly of the Recruits who paraded under Colour-Sergeant Whitby.

In addition to the usual cups the following prizes have been given:—

Medals to No. I Section for winning the Leslie Cup; medals for Inter-section hockey; and goblets for Form shoots.

The Company Commander wishes to record his thanks for the never failing keenness and loyal support of the Non-Commissioned Officers.

"F" Company.

THE progress of "F" Company during 1915-16 has been very satisfactory. Drills and parades were held regularly, and there is a marked improvement in general efficiency.

On the 18th June 50 of the Cadets disported themselves manfully in the pouring rain at the Waterloo Pageant held on Government House ground, Darjeeling; and on the 4th August, the anniversary of the Declaration of War, we joined the Garrison Parade at the Chowrasta for the Intercession Service. There the different denominations broke off, "F" Company marching to the Catholic Church, where Father Grant preached an appropriate sermon.

Brigadier-General Money, Commanding Presidency Brigade, inspected the Company on the 2nd November, and expressed his pleasure at all he saw.

Captain McCoy, our Company Commander, left us for England on the 16th September, and is now in France serving with

the Royal Engineers. This Company under his leadership has won repeated encomiums from inspecting officers, and his popularity was unbounded: we wish him the best of luck and Godspeed.

We owe Colour-Sergeant Hart (now 2nd Lieutenant, Indian Army Reserve of Officers) our thanks for the efficient manner in which he commanded the Company after Captain McCoy's departure, and for bringing the season to a very successful close. Mr. D. C. Green has now been appointed to command the Company, the efficiency of which will, we are sure, be well maintained under his zealous care; and we wish him and his smart Company a prosperous season in 1916.

"H" Company.

THE strength of the Company for the season 1915-16 was Officers 3, Non-Commissioned Officers 15, Cadets 93, making a total of 111.

Owing to the war it was impossible to obtain the services of an Instructor, but we were fortunate in having on the school staff Sergeant F. Berry, late Royal Fusiliers, who in addition to his school gymnastic duties took in hand the training of the Cadets.

When Captain A. R. Greene left on leave to England the command again devolved on Major Sharpe. In order to fill up vacancies in the commissioned ranks Mr. T. G. Barker has been appointed a 2nd Lieutenant in the Company.

The Company was inspected on 18th August by Major-General E. S. May, C.B., C.M.G., Commanding 8th (Lucknow) Division. A little company drill was carried out. This was followed by attack practice in sections under command of the Non-Commissioned Officers. Although the scheme was not very elaborate owing to the lack of space, General May remarked that the Cadets had evidently been well trained and knew how to go about the movements involved. Afterwards the General gave a very interesting lecture on the progress of the Great War.

The whole of the musketry instruction was carried out by Major Sharpe and Sergeant Berry, the latter doing the greater part of the work. The shooting of the Company was on the whole very good.

In the Baker Shield competition the school team managed to make the creditable score of 370 out of a possible 450, and so win the Shield from the holders, "I" Company.

The prize shooting was decided on the results of the annual musketry course, as it was found impossible to find the time for a special prize-shoot. In all, seventeen prizes were distributed.

The volunteer year closed with the usual picnic and sports—a function much enjoyed by the Cadets.

"I" Company.

THE past season 1915-16 has been quite as successful as any of its predecessors. From the point of view of numbers it has been more so, for at the close we had a greater number on the roll than we have ever had, over 60 Recruits having been enrolled during the year. Our strength is now over 100. The personnel of the Company has changed considerably—a not unusual feature of school corps. Practically all our Non-Commissioned Officers left us, but their places have been filled, and their successors carry on the work enthusiastically. These departures are felt most in the "Kilt Section"—the Band.

Up to December regular fortnightly parades were held, but from the beginning of the year we have turned out once a week for company drill. There have also been a good number of section drill parades.

The annual Camp of Exercise was held at Pedong in May. Thanks to a grant from the Corps and the kindness of the Public Works Department in granting us the free use of the bungalow, we spent a most profitable and enjoyable week. A new feature of Camp life this year was the posting of sentries. This proved exceedingly popular, especially the night duty—probably because of the novelty. Surprise visits were paid,

but the sentries were always found "all there." A midnight alarm showed that some pretty smart work could be done, if necessary. Drills and skirmishing occupied a large part of the time: 6½ hours per day was the least time put in at actual work.

A night alarm was practised in the Homes one evening. The Non-Commissioned Officers met at the Armoury and were despatched to the Cottages with chits bearing the message—"All Cadets to assemble at Armoury immediately in uniform." In 18 minutes from the time of despatching the chits every Cadet in the Homes was on the parade ground with his carbine. When all were ready, and each was wondering what was going to happen next, fire was opened from the jungle near, in which a small party of "A" Squadron, supplied with blank, had concealed themselves. Firing came now from one quarter, now from another. For a few exciting minutes there was some khud scrambling, one section being left to defend the Armoury; but the raiders escaped.

There is a large bare patch on the wall of our school hall where for two years the Baker Shield has hung. We congratulate the winners: but we are going to have it back soon.

Mr. Williams has resigned his commission, and Mr. Archibald has been gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in his place.

Quite a large number of our former members are now serving in the forces, and many who are here now wish to go; probably a number of them will be in the Army before these notes are read.

We have twice during the year had the privilege of forming Guards of Honour for His Excellency Lord Carmichael (Honorary Colonel of the Corps) on the occasion of his visits to the Homes. His Excellency on each occasion inspected the Guard and expressed his pleasure in their smartness and general appearance.

"O" Company.

THE Cadets of "O" Company (Goethals School) have during 1915-16 shown any amount of zeal and enthusiasm. The strength has increased, and the Company has given a very good account of itself in both drill and musketry.

In addition to the usual round of drills we attended two very instructive Field Days, one during May and the other during August. On each occasion the well prepared schemes were carried out very satisfactorily.

On 4th August we attended the Intercession Service for the success of the British arms which was held at St. Paul's Church, Kurseong.

Major-General E. S. May, C.B., C.M.G., Commanding the 8th Division, inspected the Company on 18th August, and expressed himself very pleased with all he saw, and congratulated us on the smart turn-out.

Our Annual Prize-Shoot was held on the Goethals Range on the 25th November. Cadet McGuire is to be warmly congratulated on winning the Company Championship Prize for the highest score in class-firing practice.

The competition for the Baker Challenge Shield was held on the 16th March. "O" Company made the excellent score of 156 points, and were second only to the winners—"H" Company, who made 170 points.

In the Annual Musketry Course the firing was quite good, especially when we consider the weapon at our disposal; and the results were very satisfactory.





MAJ-GEN. E. S. MAY. C.B., C.M.G., INSPECTING 'O' COMPANY.
AUGUST. 1915.

In Memoriam.

It is with the deepest regret that we have to record the deaths of the following Members of the Corps during the season 1915-16 :—

Squadron Sergeant-Major Instructor P. C. Martin,
"C" Squadron, died 25th August 1915, at Mal.

Lieutenant W. K. Webb, "B" Squadron, died 16th
October 1915, at Nurbong, Kurseong.

Sergeant H. Richardson, "M" Company, died 18th
November 1915, at Calcutta.

Trooper W. E. Dominy, "A" Squadron, died 3rd
December 1915, at Singla, Darjeeling.

Reservist S. Skone, "M" Company, died 8th
December 1915, at Calcutta.

Trooper N. Watt, "C" Squadron, died 20th Febru-
ary 1916, at Indong, Dooars.

Squadron Quartermaster-Sergeant G. W. Edward,
"G" Squadron, died 22nd March 1916,
at Calcutta.

Sergeant A. H. Bennett, "A" Squadron, died 28th
March 1916, at Darjeeling.

TACTICAL PROBLEM.

OPEN to all Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers of the Corps.

All solutions should be as short as possible, and should be clearly marked with the name, rank, and address of the sender, and forwarded to

THE ADJUTANT,

NORTHERN BENGAL MOUNTED RIFLES,

DARJEELING,

not later than the 1st November 1916.

Two prizes will be awarded, each of a "Cavalry" watch, to the Officer and the Non-Commissioned Officer whose solutions are considered to be the best.

The Editor's decision will be final.

THE year is 1877; the season is summer, and very hot; the scene is Kazanlyk (south of the Balkan Mountains).

Russia and Turkey are at war. The Russian advance guard, under General Gourko, has crossed the Balkans at the Hainkoi Pass. Part of Gourko's force is at the village of Hainkoi and part has reached Kazanlyk.

You are a Troop Leader in a squadron forming part of the force at Kazanlyk. It is the evening of a day in July; your squadron is ordered to reconnoitre west for a distance of about 20 miles.

The Squadron Commander sees all the Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers, and explains that the squadron is to proceed to Village "A", starting at midnight, as a contact squadron, with orders to reconnoitre through the hills to the Village "D" and clear up the situation.

On arrival at Village "A" the Squadron Commander details No. 1 Troop, of which you are the Troop Leader: strength 1 officer and 20 rank and file: to move out at daybreak (4 A.M.) and clear up the situation between Village "A" and Village "D"; all information to be sent to Officer Commanding Squadron at Village "A" without delay.

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The Squadron Commander in giving these orders explains to the Troop Officers and Troop Sergeants that his reason for detaching a troop instead of one or more patrols is that the country is very hilly and intersected. The passage of the foot-hills of the mountains can only be effected by the one road. Also, that the defiles may be held by parties of snipers, and that, therefore, a fight may have to be put up to gain information.

When near Village "B" one of your men is shot by snipers—about 4 in number—who retire along the track to the south-west.

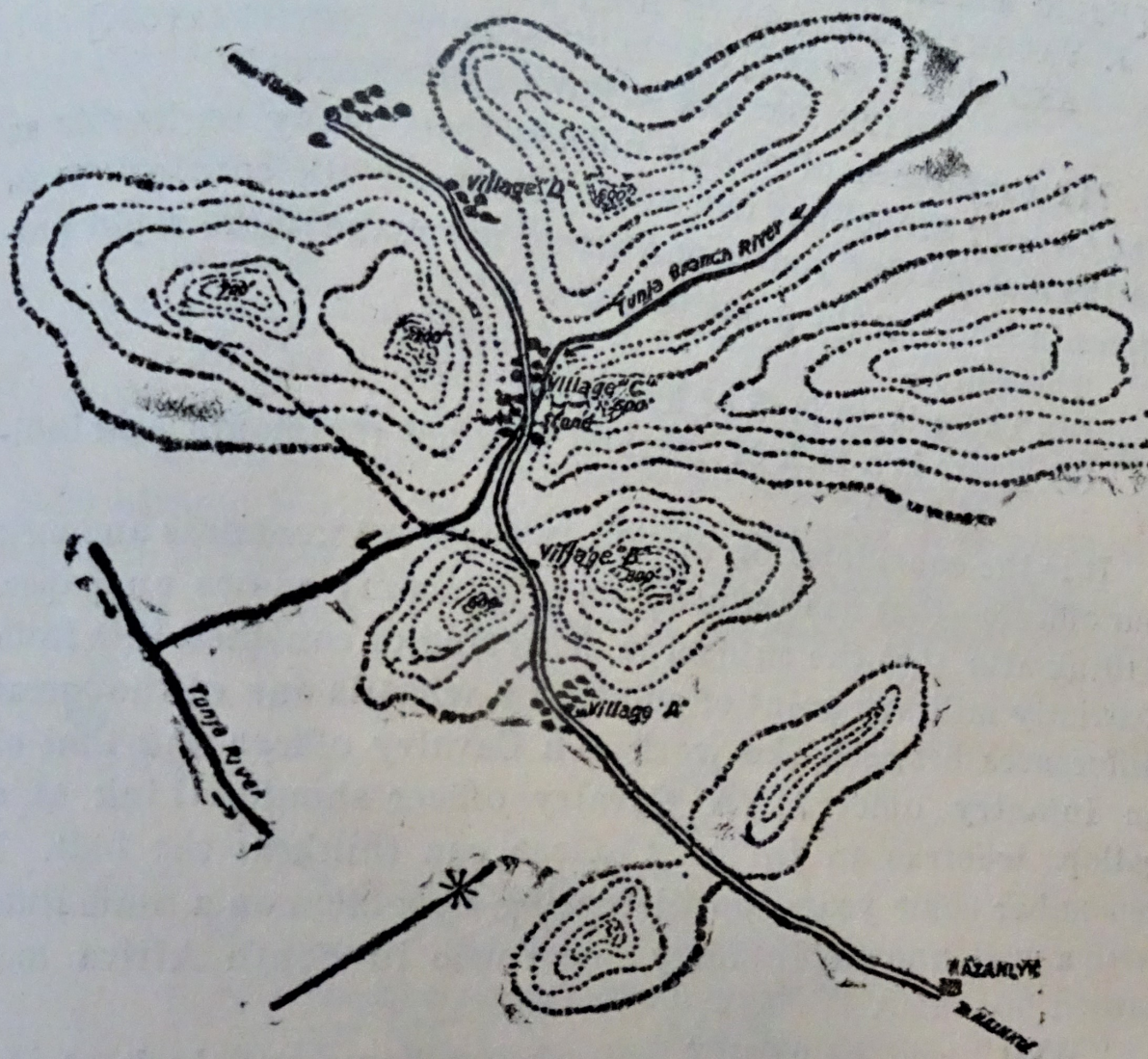
State—

- (1) How you propose to conduct the reconnaissance.
- (2) From what points you would send reports back.
- (3) What means you would employ.

Give briefly any explanation you consider desirable in regard to the action you propose to take.

N.B.—The armament of both sides is that of the British Army to-day.

The sketch on the opposite page represents the country to be traversed, and the information given thereon is all that is available as to the enemy or his movements.



Scale of Sketch about 4 miles = 1 inch.

Explanatory Notes.

- (1) Entrenchments at Village "C" deserted but recently occupied.
- (2) At Village "D" a few horsemen seen on hill to north. Fresh ashes of fires seen and traces of freshly vacated bivouac, about 300 by 400 yards in size, but scattered in appearance.
- (3) Patrols report a number of hostile horsemen occupying hills 4 miles west of Village "D".

A LETTER ON POLO.

[BEING EXTRACTS FROM AN ARTICLE BY BRIGADIER-GENERAL
J. VAUGHAN, D.S.O., LATE 10TH P. W. O. ROYAL HUSSARS,
AND COMMANDANT, CAVALRY SCHOOL, NETHERAVON.]

[WITH SINCERE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.]

My experience of young officers from many regiments at the Cavalry School has led me to form certain conclusions as to the reasons that young players do not make more rapid progress in learning the game of polo.

These are—

(a) There is no lack of keenness.

(b) There is a lack of method in some regiments and individuals.

It is the consideration of (a)—the evident keenness amongst our officers—that has induced me to place my views on paper. I think also that the subject is deserving of consideration from a strictly military point of view, for what is one of the great differences between the work of a Cavalry officer and that of an Infantry officer? A Cavalry officer should think at a gallop, whereas an Infantry officer can think at the halt. I remember some years ago discussing a problem on a Staff Ride with a well known Infantry officer who in South Africa had earned just fame.

"Wait" said he "till I get off my horse and look at the ground." "Right" said I, "and I'll gallop round to that spur and meet you back here." We each solved the problem according to the methods of our own arm, but this incident shows that is necessary for Cavalry officers to form the habit of thinking at the gallop. And the best way of making a second nature of this habit is to play as much polo and as good polo as often as you can.

Although Mr. Jorrocks says "It is better to make imputations on any young man's morality than on his horsemanship", I feel constrained to state that there are three reasons why young officers play badly:—

(a) Indifferent horsemanship.

(b) Inaccurate hitting.

(c) Want of thought.

The fact is obvious that some men come on the polo ground without any idea of using their legs except for the one purpose of driving their ponies forward, and even to do this they very often apply them quite wrongly.

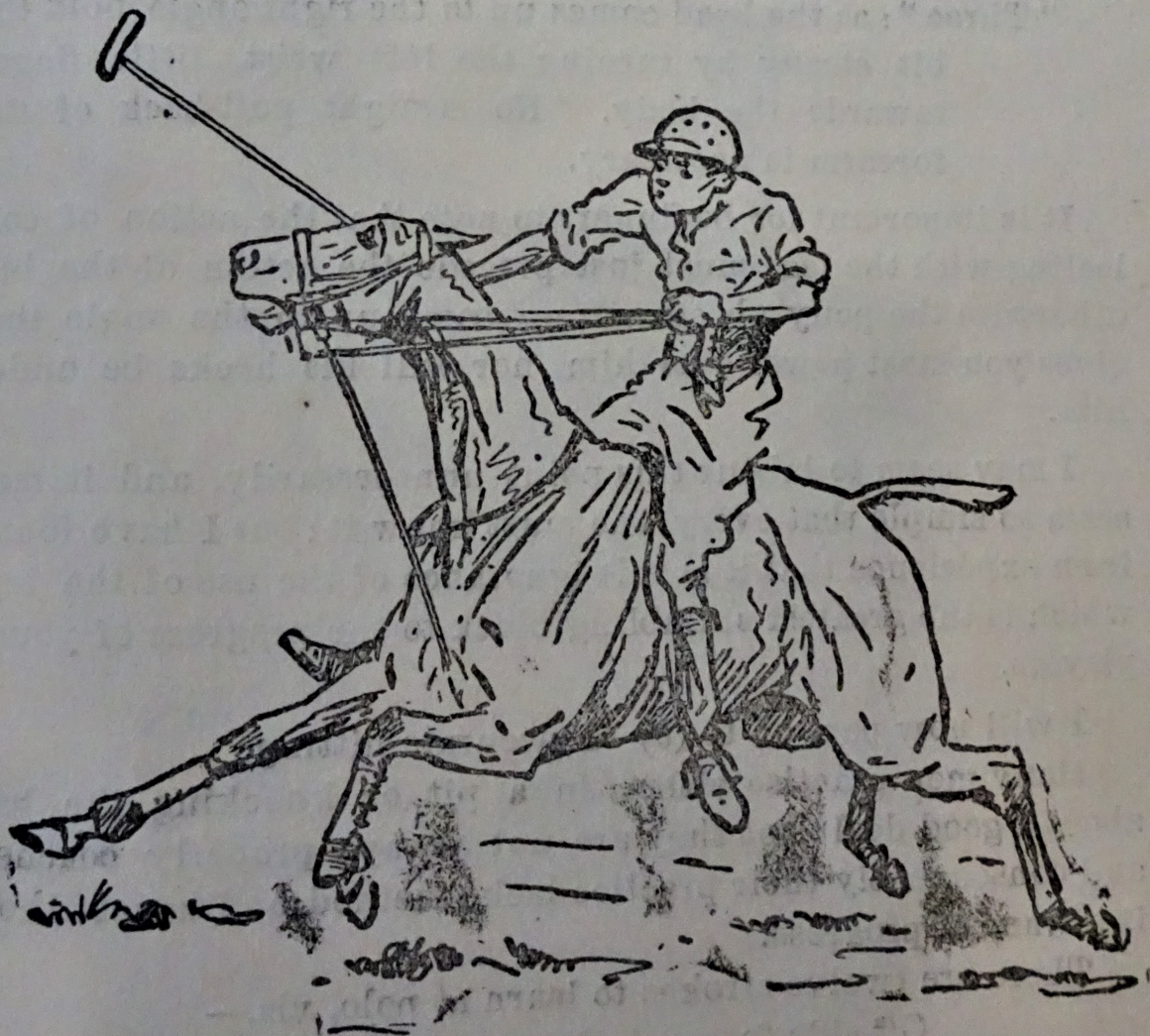
A favourite method appears to be (by numbers)—

“One”: advance the left hand as near the pony's ears as possible.

“Two”: lean the body right forward and endeavour to overtake the ball if the pony can't:

“Three”: to maintain your balance draw back the legs and tickle the pony near the stifle with your heels.

Now although this method shows keenness, it is quite a delusion to suppose that even if done vigorously in drill-time it will have any appreciable effect on the pony beyond bewil-



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dering him and making him dislike the game more than the whacks he receives from mishandled sticks have already done.

Therefore I say to the beginner: the first thing to do is to learn to ride your pony properly with your legs: to drive him, stop him, start him, turn him, balance him, make him change his legs, ride off—for everything the rider's leg-work is essential. If you don't believe this, go and watch Buckmaster, Barrett, or any other first-class player at work, and especially note their leg-work and balance of body.

As regards stopping ponies with the leg, I used to teach the men in my squadron by numbers, thus—

“One”: slightly draw back the legs and collect the horse, *i.e.*, make him put his hocks under him.

“Two”: with the right hand lightly raise the head with the bridoon.

“Three”: as the head comes up to the right angle, hold the bit steady by turning the left wrist, little finger towards the body. No straight pull-back of the forearm is necessary.

It is important for beginners to note that the action of collecting with the legs must just precede the action of the bit, otherwise the pony's head will not come up to the angle that gives you most power over him, nor will his hocks be under him.

I may seem to labour this point unnecessarily, and it may seem so simple that every one must know it; but I have found from experience that it is this ignorance of the use of the legs which is the greatest stumbling-block to the progress of young players.

I will now pass on to (b)—Inaccurate hitting.

Many men practise either in a pit or knocking the ball about a good deal; but they are not always properly coached, and consequently their practice lacks method and hence there is a want of progress.

There are twelve strokes to learn at polo, viz.—

Off side forward: drive, cut, pull.

Near side forward: drive, cut, pull.

Off side back-hander: drive, cut, pull.

Near side back-hander: drive, cut, pull.

First practise the drives—

Off side forward.—Hit the ball just after your stick has passed the perpendicular and is beginning to rise—*i.e.* hit the ball as far forward as you can. Don't try to hit it hard, but try to hit it true, and be sure to carry your stroke right through till your stick and arm have almost reached the perpendicular.

Near side forward.—Turn well in your saddle, so that your right shoulder points the way you are going and your elbow is above the ball. Your pony may think this is a misjudged "aid" of yours for him to turn to the left, and to counteract this you must have your bridle-hand turned to the right to feel his mouth, and your left leg ready to keep him straight.

Start the stroke with a downward sweep of the right hand from the left shoulder, and again hit the ball as far forward as



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possible just as your stick is beginning to rise. Keep your right thumb down the handle of your stick to give you better direction.

Forward cuts are difficult ; they can best be made from half-arm strokes, rather late, and a fair distance away from the pony as he turns. They should not be practised until you can make your drives easily.

Forward pulls are not difficult ; but you must remember to ride your pony straight at the ball and not to one side of it,—to lean right out of your saddle and hit well in front of your pony's legs.

How often you hear the exclamation "Hard luck !" when a player hits the ball into his own pony's forelegs ! It is bad, careless play ; and there is no hard luck about it at all, except on the pony !

Back-handers should be hit as late as possible for the same reason that forward strokes should be hit as soon as possible, *i.e.* to enable you to get slightly under the ball when your stick is at its full swing and just beginning to rise.

Most players play the off back-hander and the near side forward stroke (they are very similar) with the thumb down the stick to give direction.

It is very necessary to learn from the start how to cut and pull your back-handers if you wish to be of any use to your side. If you hit them straight back, they will probably hit a pony or be met by a player coming up behind you. To cut back-handers it is necessary to hit them early : a chopping stroke with a wrist turn. You should also train your pony to bend his head to the left to give you more room to come down with your stick. To pull back-handers lean right back and hit them as late as possible behind your pony's tail. A tall man has an advantage in this stroke.

Near side back-handers are very strong strokes ; they should be hit as late as possible, again excepting the cut, which is a very difficult stroke and must be hit early.

If you practise in a pit, do not slog anyhow for ten minutes as hard as you can. Make up your mind that you will hit the ball in a certain direction ; and change that direction, following the consecutive hours of a clock, all round the circle. When you can do this with a fair certainty you will be on the road to acquiring a good *repertoire* of strokes. When knocking

the ball about on a pony always aim at something: real or imaginary goals: and vary your strength.

Then get a friend to practise lateral and forward passing, meeting back-handers, &c.

It is usually preferable for two men to knock about together: it is also more interesting.

We now come to (c)—Want of thought.

This is a very heinous crime—not confined to polo or soldiers: indeed, I remember a libellous cartoon of a successful politician, who was once a subaltern of Hussars, in which the budding ruler of the King's Navee was represented saying—"I don't think; I talk."

I have little space here to deal with the tactics of the game, and must confine myself to the following two recommendations:—

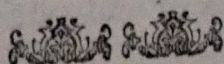
(1) Anticipate what is going to happen and regulate your movements accordingly.

(2) The moment that you fail to do one thing start doing something else.

The last phrase is perhaps badly worded and needs a little explanation. Take the example of a man who misses the ball—this happens sometimes even in first-class polo—what should he do now?

The bad man gallops on twenty or thirty yards, with his brain in a comatose condition, before he realizes that he has missed it. The worse man stops to swear. The worst man jobs his pony in the mouth and calls it a bad name: he is afterwards surprised that his pony seems to play worse every day and that polo is an expensive game.

The useful man does something at once: either he gallops on so that his own side can pass him up the ball, or goes straight for the nearest loose man of the enemy and collars him, or he turns in defence to liberate his Back in the attack. Anyhow he does something of use to his side: his best under the circumstances: *at once*. That is, he thinks and acts correctly and quickly, so that thought and action are simultaneous. This is what we want in polo: and this is what we want in our training for war.



REGIMENTAL SHOOTING COMPETITIONS.

THE INTER-SQUADRON CHALLENGE CUP.

To be competed for during Camp of Exercise. For teams of 5 from each Squadron or Company.

Seven rounds independent at 600 yards.

Seven rounds independent at 500 yards.

Eight rounds advancing between 400 and 200 yards.

Must be fired in the above order, and no hits signalled until after the last shot has been fired.

Targets: for independent at 600 and 500 yards, 8' x 4' painted with four figures; for independent between 400 and 200 advancing, 2nd class regulation bull's-eye target. Advances to be as nearly as possible 50 yards at a time. Two rounds to be fired by the whole team at 400, and two rounds similarly at each subsequent halt. In independent firing the whole team must begin firing on the word "Commence", and single shots must not be fired as in individual firing.

Won by "B" Squadron team, consisting of Captain F. A. Wearing, Corporal P. T. Russell, Trooper Collinson, Trooper Birch, Trooper Gibson, with a total of 137 points. The runners up were "C" Squadron with 132 points.

THE RAILWAY (REVOLVER) CHALLENGE CUP.

The cup to be held for one year, with a miniature to each member of the winning team. Teams of 4 per Squadron. Target: 4 feet square, with a 12" bull, 24" inner, remainder of target outer. Scoring: 4, 3, 2. Six rounds right hand and six rounds left hand deliberate. An Officer must superintend the practice and sign the register.

Won by "A" Squadron, with a score of 165, the team consisting of Sergeant A. H. Bennett, Sergeant J. Freer, Trooper C. T. Kirby, Trooper J. A. Danter.

"B" Squadron was the only other team to compete, and made the very close score of 157.

The Commanding Officer hopes that each squadron will enter a team next year.

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THE BAKER CHALLENGE SHIELD.

For Cadet Companies only. The six Cadets in each Company making the highest score in class-firing will re-fire the standard test. The team making the highest total on the re-fire to be the holders of the Shield for one year.

A suitable date for the re-fire must be notified to the Adjutant, who will arrange for proper supervision.

Won by "H" (Victoria School) Company. Score: 370 points. "O" Company (Goethals), who have never fired for the Shield in previous years, were second with the very creditable score of 356.

THE MAIN CHALLENGE CUP.

A Challenge Cup presented by Messrs. A. J. Main & Co., with a miniature cup for the winner. For the best shot in the Annual Course without repetition who attends Camp or can give a satisfactory reason for non-attendance.

Won by Orderly Room Colour-Sergeant F. E. Holland,
"M" Company. Score: 257.



BEST SHOTS IN EACH SQUADRON OR COMPANY.

THE following are the points obtained by the best shots in each Squadron or Company during the Annual Course of Musketry, 1915-16.

Rank and Name.		Squadron or Company.	Score.
Trpr. F. T. Partridge	... ..	A	233
„ M. J. Cattell	... ..	B	233
Sergt. A. G. Brown	... ..	C	229
Trpr. H. L. Jewett	G	221
Sergt. G. C. Hill	K	231
Colr.-Sergt. (O. R. C.) F. E. Holland *	M	257

* Best Shot in Corps.



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"A" Squadron.

RESULTS OF PRIZE SHOOTING HELD ON THE LEBONG RANGE ON SUNDAY, THE 5TH DECEMBER 1915.

PRESIDENT:

Capt. R. D. Mackie, Commanding "A" Squadron.

COMMITTEE:

Sergt. A. H. Bennett.
Sergt. J. Freer.

Trpr. H. Jones.
Trpr. C. T. Kirby—

Hony. Secy. & Tresr.

MATCH I.—"A" SQUADRON CUP—KINDLY PRESENTED BY THE HONOURABLE THE RAJA OF DIGHAPATIA—Seven rounds at 200 yards at a 2nd class figure target with a 6" inner, invisible bull, to count 5.

(1) Capt. R. D. Mackie	...	...	34 points.
(2) Trpr. C. T. Kirby	...	...	32 "
(3) " H. W. Street	...	...	31 "

MATCH II.—CAPTAIN R. D. MACKIE'S PRIZE—Disappearing targets; head and shoulders. Two head-and-shoulder targets with 6" bull to count 5, and 9" inner to count 4 placed in the centre of the bottom of the target; remainder of black 3, remainder of target 1. Targets to be placed at least 12 feet apart. Each target to remain exposed for 4 seconds, with an interval of 4 seconds between each exposure. 200 yards. Seven rounds. Competitor to fire each time the target is run for him or forfeit that round. No sighters.

(1) Sergt. J. Freer	...	...	27 points.
(2) Trpr. C. T. Kirby	...	...	23 "
(3) " A. C. Green	...	...	21 "

MATCH III.—LIEUTENANT-COLONEL G. F. STODDART'S PRIZE—Five rounds rapid in 30 seconds. Bayonets fixed. 200 yards. Target as in Match I; and after Match V five rounds rapid in 30 seconds. No bayonets. Target as in Match I. 300 yards. No sighters.

(1) Trpr. C. T. Kirby	42 points.
(2) Sergt. A. H. Bennett	40 "
(3) " J. Freer	39 "

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MATCH IV.—LIEUTENANT H. C. C. BENNETT'S PRIZE—Five rounds at 300 yards. Bayonets fixed. Target as in Match I.

(1) Trpr. A. C. Green	...	...	22 points.
(2) Sergt. J. Freer	...	...	21 "
(3) " A. H. Bennett	...	...	20 "

MATCH V.—LIEUTENANT-COLONEL C. E. BALDWIN SEAL'S PRIZE—Eleven rounds at 300 yards. Bayonets fixed. Time limit: 1 minute. One 12-inch plate to be dropped before firing on the target. Target as in Match I. No sighters. Plate to count 3 points if dropped.

(1) Trpr. C. T. Kirby	...	...	41 points.
(2) Sergt. J. Freer	...	...	40 "
(3) Trpr. A. C. Green	...	...	37 "

MATCH VI.—MESSRS. FRANCIS, HARRISON, HATHAWAY & Co.'s PRIZE—(Open to the Corps.) Sealed handicap. Seven rounds at 300 yards. Target as in Match I. No bayonets.

(1) Trpr. H. W. Street	...	...	28 points.
(2) S. S.-M. Instr. A. W. Wearn	...	...	28 "
(3) Resvt. A. T. Shannon	...	...	28 "

MATCH VII.—All Comers—Seven rounds at a B. P. R. A. target. 1st class. 500 yards.

(1) Lieut. W. H. Shea, "M" Co.	...	...	32 points.
(2) Sergt. J. Freer, "A" Sqdn.	...	...	32 "
(3) O. R. Colr.-Sergt. F. E. Holland, "M" Co.	...	...	31 "

MATCH VIII.—LIEUTENANT G. WRANGHAM-HARDY'S PRIZE—Open to those who have not won a 1st or 2nd prize at this shoot, and who have competed in at least two matches. 300 yards. Target as in Match I. Five rounds. No sighters.

(1) Regtl. Sergt.-Major E. E. Dyball	...	...	22 points.
(2) Trpr. C. J. Tully	...	...	20 "

MATCH IX.—THE ADJUTANT'S PRIZE—Open to those members of "A" Squadron only who have not won a prize of the value of Rs. 20 at any shoot during the last two years. 300 yards. Target as in Match I. Five rounds. No sighters.

(1) Trpr. C. J. Tully	17 points.
(2) Lieut. G. Wrangham-Hardy	10 "

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AGGREGATE GOLD MEDAL.—For the best aggregate in Matches I to VII inclusive, presented by Sergeant A. H. Bennett.

Sergeant J. Freer.

"B" Squadron.

RESULTS OF PRIZE SHOOTING HELD AT KURSEONG ON 6TH DECEMBER 1915.

MATCH I.—Teams of 5, any rank, must belong to the same troop. 400 yards.

Won by Mirik Troop.

Capt. G. A. Webb.

Qr.-Mr. Sergt. S. E. Ansell.

Corpl. B. F. S. Boileau.

Trpr. H. Stevens.

Trpr. E. G. Birch.

MATCH II.—All Comers Individual—500 yards. Five rounds. Scoring: 5, 4, 3, and 2. Open to Corps.

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| (1) O. R. Colr.-Sergt F. E. Holland | ... | 22 | points. |
| (2) Sergt.-Major Instr. A. Green | ... | 21 | " |
| (3) Lieut. W. H. Shea | ... | 19 | " |

MATCH III.—Rapid Individual—200 yards. Five shots at 5 plates. Time: 30 seconds. All shots to be fired or no score.

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| (1) Qr.-Mr. Sergt. S. E. Ansell | ... | 9 | points. |
| (2) Trpr. E. G. Birch | ... | 6 | " |
| (3) Corpl. B. F. S. Boileau | ... | 3 | " |

MATCH IV.—Grouping—100 yards. Five shots. Open to Corps.

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| (1) O. R. Colr.-Sergt. F. E. Holland | 4"=25 | points. |
| (2) Corpl. A. O'B. Webb | 4"=25 | " |
| (3) Lieut. W. H. Shea | 4"=25 | " |

MATCH V.—Snap Shooting—Figure 3 target. Five rounds. 300 yards. Exposure: 5 seconds. 3 points for each hit.

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| (1) Corpl. P. T. Russell | ... | 9 | points. |
| (2) Trpr. H. Child | ... | 9 | " |
| (3) " E. G. Birch | ... | 9 | " |

MATCH VI.—Revolver Competition—Open to Corps.

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| (1) Sergt.-Major Instr. A. Green | ... | 42 | points. |
| (2) Trpr. H. Child | ... | 39 | " |

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MATCH VII.—Ladies Shooting Competition—25 yards, standing.

(1) Mrs. Holloway	20 points.
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MATCH VIII.—Individual—400 yards.

(1) Trpr. H. Stevens	21 points.
(4) " E. G. Birch	21 "
(3) " D. Farran	21 "

MATCH IX.—CONSOLATION PRIZE—200 yards. Five rounds to count.

(1) Trpr. C. Primrose	...	...	21 points.
(2) " D. Holloway	...	...	20 "
(3) " D. Farran	...	...	20 "

MATCH X.—THE ADJUTANT'S PRIZE—Open to those who have not won a 1st prize for the past three years.

(1) Trpr. C. T. Pelly	...	...	29 points.
(2) " H. Child	...	...	28 "
(3) " D. Holloway	...	...	25 "

"C" Squadron.

RESULTS OF PRIZE SHOOTING HELD AT ZURANTEE RANGE ON
16TH JANUARY, RANGMATTI RANGE ON 23RD JANUARY,
AND BAGRACOTE RANGE ON 30TH JANUARY.

PRESIDENT:

Capt. L. Drysdale.

MEMBERS:

Lieut. B. E. Luard.

Sqdn. Sergt.-Major F. Murdoch.

Armr. Sergt. J. M. Walker.

Farr. Sergt. J. Edmond.

Sergt. R. P. Watson.

MATCH I.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY TROOPER W. N. PRICE—
Target: loophole painted black, 10 inches high by 6 inches
wide in centre of khaki target 24 inches square. Hits on
loophole to count 5 points; hits on an invisible inner 18 inches
in diameter to count 3 points; remainder of khaki target to
count 1 point. Time allowed: 30 seconds. Rounds: 5. Dis-
tance: 200 yards. Butt of rifle to be in contact with the

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ground until the word "Commence" is given. Position: any military.

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| (1) Trpr. C. R. C. Corbin | ... | 19 points. |
| (2) Resvt. R. Davidson | ... | 19 |
| (3) Lce.-Corpl. M. E. Aitken | ... | 19 " |

MATCH II.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY CAPTAIN W. L. TRAVERS—2nd class figure target (disappearing). Distance: 300 yards. Rounds: 5. Position: lying, taking cover behind stones or any other impenetrable substance with perpendicular sides, and firing round the cover with the rifle rested against the side of cover. The target to appear for 5 seconds and disappear for 5 seconds.

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| (1) Trpr. G. Haig | ... | 16 points. |
| (2) " W. H. Wotherspoon | ... | 16 |
| (3) Lce.-Corpl. M. E. Aitken | ... | 16 " |

MATCH III.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY LIEUTENANT J. A. MAC-BEAN—Conditions as in Adjutant's Prize (Regimental Prize Shooting).

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| (1) Lieut. B. E. Luard | ... | 27 points. |
| (2) Trpr. R. C. Duncan | ... | 26 |
| (3) " H. M. Hawkins | ... | 25 " |

MATCH IV.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY THE ADJUTANT—Five rounds at 300 yards. 2nd class figure target. Position: any military. For Volunteers of not more than 4 years' service.

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| (1) Trpr. D. McKenzie | ... | 15 points. |
| (2) " J. Whyte | ... | 12 " |

MATCH V.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY LIEUTENANT B. E. LUARD—Falling plates. Distance: 300 yards. Position; any military. Rounds: 5. Target: 5 iron plates, 12 inches square, painted black, and placed at least 3 feet apart. 30 seconds allowed. All five rounds must be fired or score will not count. Scoring: 3 points for each plate dropped.

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| (1) Sergt. S. B. Smith | ... | 12 points. |
| (2) Trpr. J. Whyte | ... | 9 |
| (3) Lce.-Corpl. H. B. Wilson | ... | 6 " |

MATCH VI.—LADIES' BRACELET PRESENTED BY SURGEON-MAJOR W. BROWN.
Won by Mrs. B. E. Luard.

SQUADRON PRIZE-SHOOTS.

MATCH IV.—Rapid 300 yards. 2nd class figure target. As many rounds as can be fired in 40 seconds. Regulation scoring. Shots fired after whistle blows, to lose value of best hits.

(1) Trpr. A. Mackenzie	...	...	31 points.
(2) " W. J. Smith	...	...	30 "
(3) " C. Potts	...	...	28 "

MATCH V.—200 yards. Eight rounds (first round as sighting shot). 2nd class figure target. Regulation scoring.

(1) Trpr. O. D. Leyde	...	...	27 points.
(2) Sergt. G. C. Ralston	...	...	27 "
(3) Corpl. P. S. Allan	...	...	26 "

COMMANDING OFFICER'S PRIZE FOR BEST PERCENTAGE IN SQUADRON.

Won by Corporal P. S. Allan.

ADJUTANT'S PRIZE FOR BEST PERCENTAGE. Members under 4 years' service.

Won by Trooper G. Jackson.

" K " Squadron.

RESULTS OF PRIZE SHOOTING HELD AT NEWLANDS ON 28TH JANUARY 1916, KALCHINI ON 11TH FEBRUARY 1916, AND HASIMARA ON 13TH MARCH 1916.

MATCH I.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY LIEUTENANT-COLONEL G. F. STODDART—Five rounds. 500 yards. 1st class bull's-eye. Two sighting shots.

(1) Major F. E. Wood	...	...	20 points.
(2) 2nd Lient. N. G. Webb	...	...	19 "
(3) Trpr. W. Stowell	...	...	18 "

MATCH II.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY 2ND LIEUTENANT G. E. LUARD—Six rounds magazine fire. 500 yards. 1st class figure target. Time allowed: 2 minutes. Regulation scoring. Half sections mounted ride from 600 to 500 yards. Both men to fire six rounds and return mounted to 600 yards.

SQUADRON PRIZE-SHOOTS.

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Points added: 1 per 5 seconds if completed under 2 minutes; if over 2 minutes, 1 point per 5 seconds deducted.

(1)	{ Trpr. H. V. O'Donel ...	...	} 19 points.
	{ " W. Stowell ...	...
(2)	{ 2nd Lieut. N. G. Webb ...	...	} 16 "
	{ Sergt. W. V. Webbe ...	...
(3)	{ Trpr. G. M. Harper ...	...	} 15½ "
	{ " A. C. Ricketts ...	...

MATCH III.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY MAJOR F. E. WOOD—Five rounds. 300 yards. 2nd class bull's-eye. Two sighting shots.

(1)	Trpr. L. P. Telfer	...	18 points.
(2)	" J. C. Baker	...	18 "
(3)	Major F. E. Wood	...	17 "

PRIZE PRESENTED FOR VOLUNTEERS UNDER 3 YEARS' SERVICE.
Won by Trooper J. S. Birch with 15 points.

MATCH IV.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY SQUADRON QUARTER-MASTER SERGEANT H. E. B. EARWAKER—Six rounds magazine fire. 300 yards. 2nd class figure. Time allowed: 40 seconds. Only hits on figure to count.

(1)	Sergt. G. C. Hill	...	12 points.
(2)	* { 2nd Lieut. N. G. Webb	...	} 8 "
(3)	{ Trpr. B. H. Smithett	...	
	† { Major F. E. Wood	...	} 8 "
	{ Trpr. A. C. Ricketts...	...	

* Share 2nd and 3rd prizes.

† Ineligible under Rule 5.

PRIZE FOR VOLUNTEERS UNDER 3 YEARS' SERVICE.

Won by Trooper E. R. Sharpe with 4 points.

MATCH V.—PRIZE PRESENTED BY TROOPER W. A. FOOTE—Five rounds. 200 yards. 2nd class bull's-eye. Two sighting shots.

(1)	Trpr. A. K. Glasson	...	19 points.
(2)	" A. C. Ricketts	...	18 "
(3)	" E. R. Sharpe	...	18 "
	2nd Lieut. N. G. Webb *	...	18 "

* Ineligible under Rule 5.

PRIZE FOR VOLUNTEERS UNDER 3 YEARS' SERVICE.

Won by Trooper K. D. Child with 12 points.

SQUADRON PRIZE-SHOOTS.

MATCH VI.—THE HON'BLE SIR WILLIAM DUKE'S CUP—Five rounds at five iron plates at 300 yards. 30 seconds allowed. The plates must fall over and all the rounds must be fired. Open to the Corps and Permanent Staff.

(1) Lieut. W. H. Shea	...	12 points.
(2) O. R. Colr.-Sergt. F. E. Holland	12	"
(3) Sergt. A. H. Bennett	...	6 "

MATCH VII.—HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL'S PRIZE.—Ten rounds at 500 yards. Figure targets with invisible bull's-eye. Individual. Any military position. Open to All Comers, Permanent Staff included.

(1) Trpr. C. T. Kirby	...	48 points.
(2) O. R. Colr.-Sergt. F. E. Holland	46	"
(3) Qr.-Mr. Sergt. A. J. Stanton	...	46 "

MATCH VIII.—MAJOR EDWARDS' PRIZE (CONSOLATION)—Five rounds at 300 yards. Figure target with invisible bull's-eye. Individual. Any military position. No sighters. [Open to those who have not won more than Rs. 10 (Corps and Permanent Staff included.)]

(1) Trpr H. E. Glanville	...	23 points.
(2) Sergt. J. Freer	...	23 "
(3) Vol. R. Phillips	...	22 "

MATCH IX.—THE ADJUTANT'S PRIZE.—Five rounds each at 100, 200 and 300 yards. [Open to those of the Company who have not won a first prize in any shoot.]

(1) Vol. J. Dunne	...	54 points.
(2) " J. D'Vaz	...	52 "

MATCH X.—CHAMPIONSHIP.—THE GRAND AGGREGATE MEDAL FOR THE TOTAL SCORE IN ALL MATCHES.

O. R. Clr.-Sergt. F. E. Holland ... 313 points.

PRIZES TO THE BEST LOSERS IN THE SHOOT—

- (1) Sergt. G. S. Carey.
- (2) Vol. K. S. Peters.

ATTENDANCE PRIZES.—COMPANY ATTENDANCE PRIZE (FOR CORPORALS AND VOLUNTEERS ONLY).

Lance-Corporal A. J. Crouch.

SOME DETAILS OF SQUADRON TRAINING.

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It is accepted as an axiom that the basis of all successful Cavalry training is the thoroughness of the instruction imparted to the individual squadrons. But in the most recent training handbooks less than ever before is "laid down" as a syllabus of instruction; although Cavalry training, to be complete, should be more comprehensive than ever. There are many details in which the efficiency of a squadron is not usually tested by inspecting officers. No excuse therefore is necessary for bringing to notice a few details which in some cases might not be thought of, as they are not alluded to in the textbooks.

TRAINING HORSES TO CHARGE.—There were very few occasions in the Russo-Japanese War in which formed bodies of Cavalry charged one another. It is known, however, that on the principal occasion when this happened the two lines of horses checked in surprise as they met, and had to be kicked together by their riders to close at a walk, thereby losing to both sides all advantage of momentum. This is only what might have been expected, unless the horses had had some special training to counteract the natural impulse to check. So far from any attempt being made to subdue this inherent tendency, it is accentuated in most armies by the ordinary manœuvre procedure of halting two lines instead of training them to close. When two lines of Cavalry meet, should one line check and the other crash into it, pace and the moral superiority of the rushing attack must instantaneously prevail. It did so—most dramatically—in the Charge of the Heavy Brigade at Balaklava.

The horse is the helpless slave of any habit he may be made to acquire, and cannot help charging through an opposing line if he has always been trained to do so on a given signal. Australian horses rapidly become accustomed to rushing through an opposing rank when trained by the following method; and probably English horses would give little trouble if taken gradually. Indian country-breds, however, are far more troublesome, and a certain number of

them are sure to require to be marked down for extra practice after the others have assimilated the training. With patience every horse can be taught.

On returning from parade or exercise, when the horses have done work enough to make them disinclined to play the fool, begin by drawing up two squadrons or troops facing one another in line at 200 or 300 yards apart, with a horse's length intervals, and then make them trot through one another, then turn about, and repeat several times. The pace after a week or so may be increased to a smart canter, and then the intervals gradually decreased to a little over a yard: finally they can be practised in rushing through these small intervals at a gallop, the pace being increased on the two lines raising a cheer just before impact. The horses now know that they have to charge at top speed right through any line they meet on a cheer being raised; and it is very doubtful whether any man could stop his horse doing this on hearing the cheer of his line, even if the man himself faked the impact. One cannot help thinking that a squadron so trained would ride down an opposing squadron in which no such training had been thought of.

FACING INFANTRY.—A practice very similar to the above is equally useful for making certain that the horses would face Infantry in extended order.

Plenty of blank cartridge is now available; and I know of no better use to which it can be put by Cavalry than in making their horses indifferent to riding over firing lines. They very soon get used to it. Dismount a troop or squadron in extended order, sending their horses to a flank; the remaining troops or squadrons, extended to about the same interval, then canter through them in turn, the dismounted men firing, lying down until the horses are within 50 yards, then springing up and firing the last round standing—aiming high of course—when the horses are close; each rider being required to pass his dismounted opponent close enough to touch him, in passing, with his hand. Very soon all your horses will face any Infantry fire.

SELECTION OF FIRE-POSITIONS.—For instruction in the principles which govern the selection of positions for fire there is nothing better than Major Swinton's "Defence of Duffer's Drift"—if used picturesquely. Any squadron may be called upon to gallop ahead and hold a position until Infantry support arrives. The Squadron is more than likely to be scattered and involved in action before the Squadron Commander could indicate its position to each group along possibly a very wide front: consequently he would have to rely entirely on the knowledge and acumen of his Group Commanders in the selection of positions.

A well-trained squadron should be able to rush up into any position and occupy it for fire-action in the shortest possible time without giving the slightest indication of its approach. For instruction in this kind of work the following method is excellent:—

Halt the squadron half a mile or more behind the position or cover which you propose to occupy for fire-action by a "rush". Leave one trumpeter on the position, to pass on calls; ride with the other trumpeter to 600 or 800 yards the other side of the position. You represent the enemy. Then sound the "Advance". The squadron immediately gallops forward, opening out into extended order as it goes, so as to cover the whole position to be occupied; on arrival each section of 4 closes on its No. 3, who should rapidly mark down the best available cover for horses as he comes along. The men in dismounting and getting into their places to fire should be careful to take the best cover for fire without any reference to intervals, so as not to be seen from the front. On the whistle sounding, the outburst of fire should be simultaneous. The Squadron Commander should time the whole practice; should carefully watch for the slightest exposure of the men in coming into their places; and finally ride along the position, noting and criticizing the use of cover by each man, and note the positions taken by the flanking patrols, who should be detached automatically by the flank troops without specific order from the Squadron Commander, should he omit to give the order.

VERBAL MESSAGES.—Another weak point, and one frequently neglected, is the delivery of verbal messages. Cavalry are a rapidly-moving arm, and an officer has to dismount to write. In practice, not nearly so many written messages are sent between different portions of a mounted force on service as is the case on manœuvres. Once in the fighting line, there is surprisingly little writing done. On all manœuvres written orders are insisted on: this is as it should be, as it all tends to order and regularity, and facilitates the work of umpires by placing orders on record. But in action the same order, as a matter of mere hard fact, would probably be sent verbally—I cannot tell whether this is the case or not in Infantry, as that is outside my own personal experience: probably not to anything like the same extent, as Infantry naturally move more deliberately. On manœuvres, therefore, by all means write the order, as directed by regulation: but make it a standing order in the squadron that the bearer of the order will give the order verbally to the recipient of it before the latter opens the envelope. The accuracy of the verbal order can thus be instantly tested by the recipient, who should be required to take a note of any material difference between the two, for the information of the Squadron Commander. This induces the greatest care in the delivery of verbal orders, as inaccuracy or carelessness are detected at once, without hope of escape.



Regimental Point-to-Point Race.

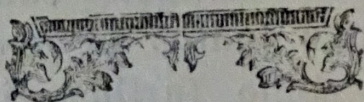
TWENTY-ONE starters lined up at 7-30 A.M. on Saturday, 26th February, for the Regimental Point-to-Point Race, for which a Light-weight and a Heavy-weight Cup were offered. The course was very similar to last year's, and had been laid out most satisfactorily under Squadron Sergeant-Major Green's supervision. The going was almost perfect after the rain of the previous week, and the various made-up and natural jumps were just big enough to make the course interesting and to separate the "flyers" from the "ruck", while not being a bit too big for any decent charger in the Regiment to negotiate.

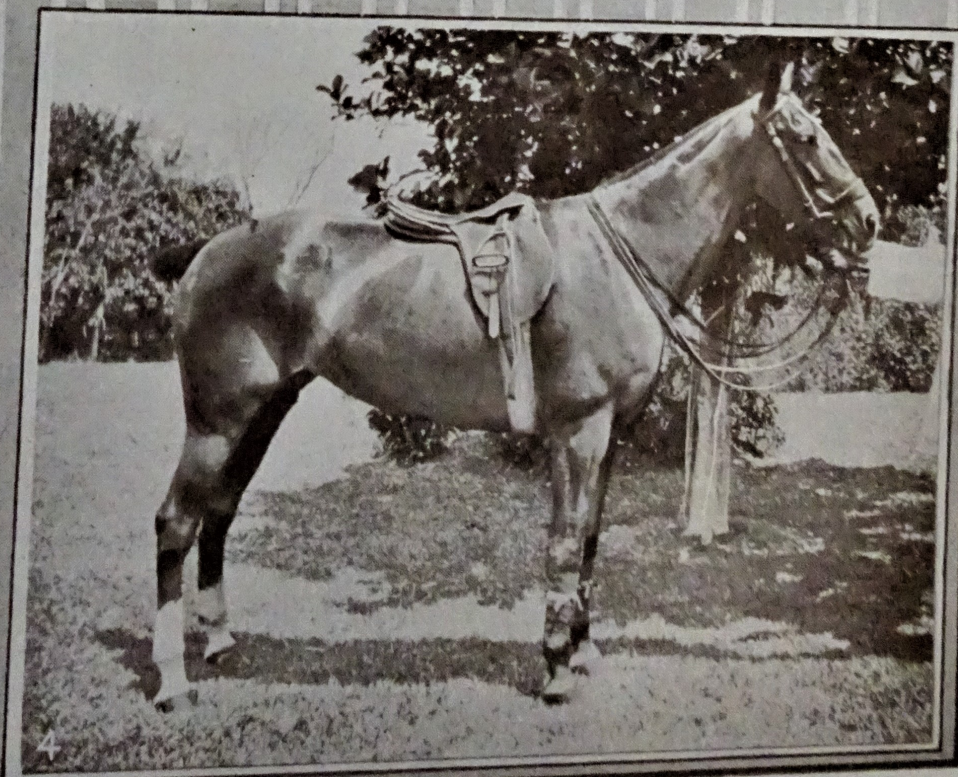
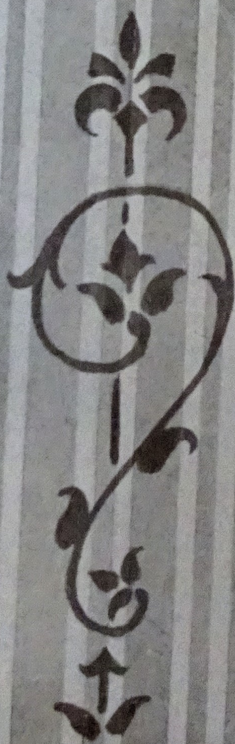
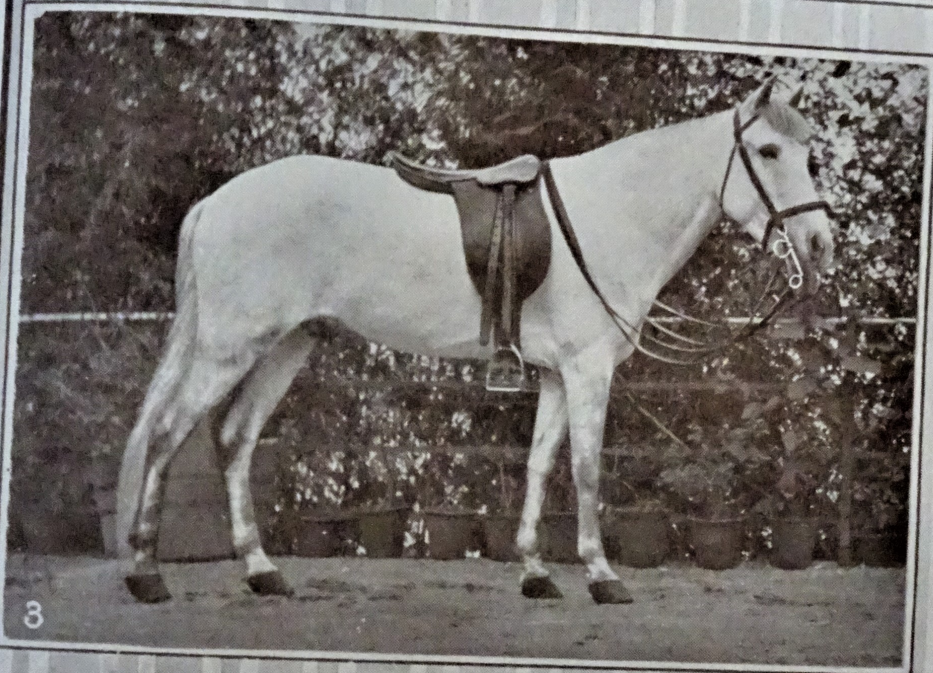
Falls were few this year, and no damage at all was sustained; but there were a good many refusals at the fences, which makes one think that owners would do well to give their "chasers" a little schooling over jumps before the race: not very much of this is done except by a few keen spirits.

Veterinary Captain J. Gollan despatched the eager line punctually to time and the pace to the first jump just beyond the polo ground was pretty hot: nearly all got over this, but at the second fence there were several refusals, including Captain Little's "Brunette", and the field became a bit strung out. The two jumps beyond the elephant sheds were responsible for some further little difficulties, and Sergeant Hill on Sergeant H. B. B. Smith's "Billy" rode from here to the finish without his usual complement of stirrups. The going on the far side of the railway line was delightful; and after recrossing near the station, a sharp right-handed turn brought the competitors into a long straight stretch leading south again; then left-handed round the elephant sheds and on to the race course, where the finish came into view. Corporal Gent on his good little "Tobasco" won an excellent race, and secured the Light-weight Cup; he was closely followed by Sergeant Hill on "Billy", then Trooper Balls on "Alone" and Captain Little on "Brunette". Sergeant Cargill was the first heavy-weight home, and so received that Cup.

There were a good many who finished without having negotiated quite all the jumps, being thus of course ineligible for a prize or place: this is rather a pity and not good policy in a point-to-point race, which many a time is won by a horse who has never till near the finish been anywhere near the leaders: there is always a chance for every one till the race is over.

There should be a still larger entry for this sporting event, as there are plenty more chargers in the Regiment who are quite capable of negotiating the course, and with a good chance of winning. Let us hope to see 40 starters at least next year.





SOME WELL-KNOWN PONIES.

1. CAPT. LITTLE'S 'NEPTUNE.'

2. MR. BALLS' 'ALONE.'

3. " " "

BHUTEA 'PIONEER.'

4. MAJ. WOOD'S 'ALICE.'

Regimental Assault-at-Arms.

THE Regimental Assault-at-Arms was held as usual on the last Saturday of the Annual Camp—26th February.

The entries for the events in the programme this year were on the whole excellent, especially for the mounted competitions; and it was also considered that the general standard of form continued to show an improvement.

The dismounted events were chiefly carried off by two young sportsmen—Troopers Oakley and Pelly, both of "B" Squadron. These events have necessarily to be arranged at an awkward time, and the style was good considering that the races were run off in hot sun.

Trooper W. C. Ball and Lance-Corporal Cooper were easily ahead of the others in the Best-turned-out-man Competition. Both were very smart, and Trooper Ball, whose charger also won one of the Colonel's prizes, was finally given the first prize.

The Lloyd Lindsay Competition, which was won by the "A" Squadron team, showed an improvement over the form of the previous year; but there is still ample room for improvement. The competition is a difficult one, and frequent practice is necessary if a team wishes to jump and ride together and to shoot quickly and straight.

The Tent-Pegging events were fairly well done, and the Victoria Cross Race was excellent. Dummy Thrusting—a competition new to this Regiment—attracted very many entries, and was won by Sergeant R. P. Watson, who as usual carried off a number of prizes.

The Jumping also had a large entry, and was well done on the whole, although a few competitors spoilt their chances by careless riding, which was again probably due to want of practice.

For the Led-Horses Competition a large number of sections turned out, and very smartly did they perform. "A" Squadron won; but the work of most of the sections was a proof of the improved drill and efficiency of the Regiment. The Commanding Officer and Veterinary Captain J. Gollan kindly presented

"B" Squadron Assault-at-Arms held at Kurseong on the 7th December 1915.

- I. LED HORSE COMPETITION—Silver Cup presented by Captain G. A. Webb.

Won by 1st Mirik Team.

Corpl. Boileau.	|	Trpr. Pelly.
Trpr. Stevens.	|	„ Rolfe.

- II. TENT-PEGGING WITH LANCE—

(1) Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Green.
(2) 2nd Lt. Barker.

- III. TWO RINGS-AND-A-PEG (LANCE)—

(1) Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Green.
(2) Trpr. Pelly.

- IV. INDIVIDUAL JUMPING—

(1) Corpl. Steward's "Janet". (S. S. M. I. Green.)
(2) Trpr. Rolfe's "Tipperary". (Owner.)

- V. ALARM RACE—

(1) Trpr. Child.
(2) „ Cook.

- VI. LADIES' COMPETITION—

Mrs. A. Ansell.

- VII. BALACLAVA MELEE—

(1) Corpl. Steward.
(2) Trpr. Pelly.

- VIII. INTER-TROOP TUG-OF-WAR—

Won by Hope Town Team.

Sergt. Willes.	|	Trpr. Calvert.
Corpl. Russell.	|	„ Child.
„ Steward.	|	„ Leitch.

- IX. BOMB-THROWING—

(1) Corpl. Steward.
(2) Trpr. Collinson.

X. BEST-TURNED-OUT N.-C. O. OR TROOPER—
Trpr. Rolfe.

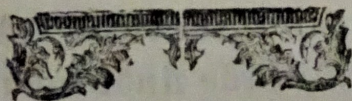
XI. INDIVIDUAL TENT-PEGGING (SWORD)—
(1) Trpr. Collinson.
(2) Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Green.

XII. LLOYD LINDSAY COMPETITION—Teams of four.
Won by Mirik Team.

Corpl. Boileau.	|	Trpr. Pelly.
Trpr. Stevens.	|	„ Rolfe.

XIII. GROOMING COMPETITION—Cup presented by Trooper
F. B. Renaut.

Won by Sergeant-Trumpeter Terry.



Duars Polo, 1915-16.

At the beginning of the cold weather it was thought that the prospects of the polo season were none too favourable—several of the Clubs were lamentably short of players, largely owing to the number of sporting members away on service; to the increasing years (and girth) of some of the old stalwarts; and to the paucity of recruits, both men and ponies, making their début in the noblest of games.

The keen players bewailed their fate, and cursed the high price of ponies and the modern spirit (or lack of it) of the youngsters in the district, whose ambition now generally seems so hard to rouse above tennis and tea to the robust joys of owning and playing a nice pony of their own.

When fixtures came to be made, however, it was found that things were not so bad. Teams of sorts were forthcoming to play for the various cups, and for the Aldam (Inter-Agency) Cup the record number of seven entries was received.

The Mal men did well in winning this trophy after a most exciting final match against Macleod's Agency; and their Club Team were only beaten in the final for the Couper Cup by the experts from Kalchini, who are to be congratulated on their consistently high standard of polo.

The honour of winning the Junior Cup fell to Oodlabari's Team; and it may be anticipated that this success, together with the acquisition of a new ground which will bring them more conveniently in touch with other centres, will commence a new and prosperous phase in Oodlabari's history.

The Central Duars Club at Binaguri has now an excellent ground, and when its young players have gained a little more experience this Club should give a very good account of itself in polo fixtures.

The matches for the Chaplin (International) Cup—always the most interesting of the season—were additionally so this year, as besides the English, Scottish, and Irish teams there was a strong side representing the Overseas Dominions under the captaincy of Mr. B. E. Luard.

The first matches were played at Binaguri, where the Central Duars Club had spared no efforts in making most excellent arrangements for players and spectators. The English played the "Overseas" Team; and only after a hard and even game, in which the latter side combined and played splendidly, were the English able to secure a narrow victory by scoring two goals in the last chukker.

The Scottish and Irish match was robbed of much of its interest by the unfortunate indisposition of the redoubtable Irish Captain, Mr. F. E. Wood: many people thought that with his aid and example the Irish would have won, but in his absence the Scots had little difficulty in accounting for their hardworking but somewhat disorganized opponents.

The final match between Scottish and English was played in Camp, and provided a good galloping game. Men from North of the Tweed had high hopes that their team might this year secure the coveted cup; but after the 1st chukker the combined (and somewhat cooler) play of the English gradually gave them the upper hand, and the match ended with the score at 5 goals to 1 in their favour. Congratulations are due to the English representatives on winning this cup for the fourth successive season. This year's team was: Mr. Balls 1; Mr. Hill 2; Captain Little 3 (Captain); and Mr. R. C. Davies Back.

A great event in the past polo season was the success of the Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles Regimental Team in winning the Carmichael Cup Tournament at Calcutta at Christmas. Never was news so quickly flashed through the whole district, and never was excitement and pleasure so general. Our team has earned the heartiest congratulations of every member of the Corps: we are proud of the honour they have brought us; and we all hope that next year they may win the cup again.



CAPITATION GRANT ACCOUNT.

Showing Receipts and Expenditure for the year ending 31st March 1916 in accordance with paragraph 126, Army Regulations, India, Volume IX (Volunteers).

RECEIPTS.	Amount.			Total.			EXPENDITURE.	Amount.			Total.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
By balance credit brought forward.	112	11	8	112	11	8	To custody and care of arms ...	1,194	8	5	1,194	8	5
" capitation grant earned, 1914-15.	43,206	8	0	43,206	8	0	" providing and maintaining ranges	2,643	7	6	2,643	7	6
" value of ammunition cases returned to Arsenal.	140	7	8	140	7	8	" providing and maintaining store rooms, drill grounds and sheds, including rates, taxes and lighting, &c.	9,959	0	0	9,959	0	0
" grant for Camp of Exercise and Field Days.	4,720	0	0	4,720	0	0	" supplying clothing ...	7,000	10	6	12,000	0	0
" Bank interest ...	201	8	0	201	8	0	" supplying saddlery ...	4,999	5	6			
							" expenses to parades, drills, and ranges.	3,650	0	0	3,650	0	0
							" Camp of Exercise, Concentration, and Field Days.	11,505	9	0	11,505	9	0
							" cost of stores, carriage of stores, and ammunition.	1,597	14	11	1,597	14	11
							" stationery and printing ...	685	14	0	1,250	0	0
							" postage ...	400	12	6			
							" telegrams ...	163	5	6			
							" allowance to storekeeper under paragraph 108, Army Regulations, India, Volume IX.	120	0	0	120	0	0
							" establishment not including Government khalsas.	1,525	0	0	1,525	0	0
							Disbursed under orders of Officer Commanding—						
							To prizes for skill at arms ...	350	0	0	2,850	0	0
							" prizes under paragraph 130, Army Regulations, India, Volume IX.	2,400	0	0			
							" Office and Mess furniture ...	100	0	0			
							Balance credit ...	85	11	6	85	11	6
Total ...	48,331	3	4	48,331	3	4	Total ...	48,331	3	4	48,331	3	4

DARJEELING,
The 1st April 1917.

J. CSWALD LITTLE, CAPTAIN,
Adjutant, N. B. M. F. S.

G. F. STODDART, LIEUTENANT-COLONEL,
Commanding N. B. M. F. S.

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

As at 31st March 1916.

LIABILITIES.			Amount.			Total.			ASSETS.			Amount.			Total.		
			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
<i>Sundry Creditors.</i>									<i>Stock.</i>								
For clothing ...	...		1,050	0	0	6,663	14	0	By value of clothing in hand ...	...		482	0	0	1,777	0	0
" saddlery ...	...		5,536	6	0				" saddlery ...	...		1,295	0	0			
" stationery ...	...		77	8	0												
<i>Government.</i>									<i>Buildings.</i>								
" yearly repair of arms ...	...		489	8	0	489	8	0	" Mess House, store rooms, and sheds, less 10 per cent. depreciation for the year.			12,500	0	0	12,500	0	0
<i>Buildings.</i>									<i>Furniture.</i>								
Government loan ...	...		5,000	0	0	5,000	0	0	" Mess and Office ...	...		2,000	0	0	2,000	0	0
									<i>Cash.</i>								
									" balance credit, Alliance Bank ...	...		2	14	10	1,384	5	2
									" cash in hand imprest ...	...		82	12	8			
									" balance credit, Regimental Fund	...		1,293	9	8			
Credit assets over liabilities			5,507	15	2	5,507	15	2	Total			17,661	5	2	17,661	5	2
Total			17,661	5	2	17,661	5	2									

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The 1st April 1916.

J. OSWALD LITTLE, CAPTAIN,
Adjutant, N. B. M. Rifles.

G. F. STODDART, LIEUTENANT-COLONEL,
Commanding N. B. M. Rifles.

ROLL OF OFFICERS.

(Corrected to 30th June 1916.)

HONORARY COLONEL—H. E. THE RIGHT HON'BLE BARON CARMICHAEL OF SKIRLING,
G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Date of first Commission.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Rank.	REMARKS.
	Lieutenant-Colonels.		
12-11-00	Stoddart, George Frederick (79) ...	16-9-13	Commandant.
21-7-99	V. D., Seal, Charles Edward Baldwin (54) (79).	16-9-13	Darjeeling.
	Majors.		
2-7-95	Sharpe, Ernest Edward (79) ...	1-9-03	Cadet Co., Kurseong.
25-9-03	Gollan, Robert (79) ...	18-10-11	(On leave.)
3-2-01	Wood, Frederick Evan (79) ...	16-9-13	Kalchini.
18-3-03	Drysdale, Lawrence (79) ...	29-2-16	Mal.
1-8-09	Webb, George Augustus (54) (79) ...	19-4-16	Kurseong.
	Captains.		
5-2-02	Greene, Alexander Robert (79) ...	15-9-04	(On leave.)
1-7-04	V. D., Pymm, Russell Austin (79) ...	1-9-09	Infy. Co., Darjeeling.
1-1-05	Cotton, Hugh Gordon (79) ...	18-10-11	Nagrakata.
15-12-07	Mackie, Robert Douglas (79) ...	14-11-12	Darjeeling.
31-3-13	Little, John Oswald (59), (79), (206), (D. I, II, III, IV). (I. A. R. O.).	31-3-13	Adjutant.
27-3-11	Travers, Walter Lancelot (79) ...	18-5-14	Mal.
19-6-14	Ansell, Arthur Molloy ...	19-6-14	Cadet Co., Kurseong.
28-10-14	Mackenzie, Kenneth Lauchlan (79) ...	28-10-14	Reserve Squadron.
1-4-10	Ripley, Thornton (79) ...	29-2-16	Cadet Co., Kalimpong.
30-11-11	Woodcock, Edward Montague (79) ...	19-4-16	Terai.
	Lieutenants.		
1-4-11	Luard, Bernard Eustace (79) ...	16-9-13	(On leave.)
30-11-11	Shea, William Horace (79) ...	16-9-13	Infy. Co., Darjeeling.
1-4-12	MacBean, James Alexander (79) ...	16-9-13	Chalsa.
15-10-14	Bennett, Henry Cecil Charleton (79) ...	15-10-14	Darjeeling.
1-9-12	MacAlister, Alexander Stormonth (79) ...	1-12-14	Telepara.
1-1-13	Milne, William Ironside (79) ...	1-12-14	Nagrakata.
10-1-16	Polwhele, John Archibald (79) ...	10-1-16	Jalpaiguri.
1-6-14	Luard, Godfrey Ernest (79) ...	29-2-16	Kalchini.
1-6-14	Wrangham Hardy, George (54) (79) ...	19-4-16	Darjeeling.
	2nd Lieutenants.		
15-10-14	Berrill, Claude St. John (79) ...	15-10-14	Purnea.
1-12-14	Webb, Norman Gotlieb (79) ...	1-12-14	Kalchini.
3-5-15	Harvey, Robert Harold Mansel (79) ...	3-5-15	Cadet Co., Darjeeling.
31-5-15	Candler, Leo Meighan (79) ...	31-5-15	Cadet Co., Kurseong.
29-7-15	Archibald, James Henry Gardner (79) ...	29-7-15	Cadet Co., Kalimpong.
25-8-15	Cuvelier, Edward Augustus ...	25-8-15	Cadet Co., Darjeeling.
13-10-15	Barker, Thomas Garner (79) ...	13-10-15	Cadet Co., Kurseong.
26-2-16	Davis, William John (79) ...	26-2-16	Kurseong.
11-4-16	Green, Donald Clement (79) ...	11-4-16	Cadet Co., Darjeeling.

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Date of first Commission.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Rank.	REMARKS.
	Honorary Lieutenant.		
14-4-16	H. H. Maharaja Jitendra Narayan Bhup Bahadur of Cooch Behar.	14-4-16	
	Supernumerary List.		
28-8-96	V.D., Edwards, Major William Harold (79).	12-4-07	
11-11-02	V.D., Goss, Major William Louis (79).	2-10-08	
12-2-02	Shawcross, Captain Herbert William (79).	12-2-02	
9-5-06	Dominy, Captain Arthur Tothill (79)	19-3-07	
1-7-13	Woodhead, Captain Alexander William (54) (79).	1-7-13	Indian Army Reserve.
19-4-02	McCoy, Captain Lester Joseph (79)	16-9-13	
3-4-05	Cresswell, Lieutenant George Belben	1-9-09	
26-11-07	Quantin, Lieutenant Denys Bird (79)	26-11-07	
1-10-09	Ward, Lieutenant Horace Fatcher (79).	1-4-12	Ditto.
1-7-13	Pook, Lieutenant John de Courcy (54) (79).	1-7-13	Ditto.
1-7-13	Winn, 2nd Lieutenant Herbert Ewart (79).	1-7-13	Ditto.
21-8-11	Griffin, Honorary Lieutenant Thomas (79).	21-8-11	Ditto.
	Staff.		
31-3-13	Little, Captain J. O. (Indian Army Reserve—Cavalry Branch).	31-3-13	Adjutant.
9-11-03	V. D., Wearing, Honorary Captain Frederick Arthur.	9-11-03	Paymaster.
1-10-01	Brown, M.D., Surgeon-Major William	1-9-14	Medical Officer.
1-4-05	McCutcheon, M.B., Surgeon-Captain Oliver Edward.	1-9-14	Ditto.
1-4-12	Ducat, M.B., Surgeon-Captain Stanley	1-4-15	Ditto.
1-5-09	Gollan, Veterinary Captain John ...	15-8-14	Veterinary Officer.
14-11-15	Child, Honorary Lieutenant Harry ...	14-11-15	Quartermaster.
18-12-09	Milne, Rev. Peter, B.D. ...	18-12-09	Honorary (C. of S.) Chaplain.
25-5-05	Graham, C.I.E., M.A., D.D., Rev. John Anderson.	25-5-05	Additional (C. of S.) Chaplain.
24-10-12	Waite, Rev. Arthur ...	24-10-12	Honorary (C. of E.) Chaplain.

(79) Passed Proficiency Examination for Volunteer Officers (para. 80, A. R. I., Vol. IX).
 (54) Passed Musketry Course for Volunteer Officers.
 (206) Passed Higher Standard Examination in Urdu.

ROLL OF PERMANENT STAFF.

Rank and Name.	Squadron or Company.	Date appointed to Corps.	Former Regiment.
Captain Little, J. O. ...	Adjutant	28-9-15	17th (D. C. O. Lancers).
Regtl. Sergt.-Major Dyball, E. E ...	A	16-11-09	15th (The King's) Hussars.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Green, A....	B	1-11-13	1st (King's) Dragoon Guards.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Cass, A. ...	C	1-1-12	13th Hussars.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Raybould, A.	G	25-9-15	7th (Queen's Own) Hussars.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Jackson, W.	K	1-12-12	8th (King's Royal Irish) Hussars).
Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Instr. Wearn, A. W.	M	1-1-12	The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).



ROLL OF HONORARY MEMBERS.

(Corrected to 30th June 1916.)

Name.		Date of appointment.
C. Bald, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
G. W. Clarke, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
F. A. B. Cowley, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
J. G. D. Cruickshank, Esq.	...	14th October 1915.
G. Hennessy, Esq.	...	26th April 1916.
P. C. Lall, Esq.	...	15th December 1914.
S. E. Langmore, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
G. H. Langmore, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
R. S. Lister, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
A. T. McIsaac, Esq.	...	31st May 1916.
J. M. Morgan, Esq.	...	18th April 1916.
G. Nash, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
F. H. O'Donoghue, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.
M. W. S. Pemberton, Esq.	...	7th December 1915.
L. Ranger, Esq.	...	20th April 1916.
N. W. Sinclair, Esq.	...	9th May 1916.
C. W. Whitamore, Esq.	...	7th June 1916.
E. A. Wernicke, Esq.	...	1st September 1915.



INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The following is the roll of members who are serving with the Indian Army Reserve of Officers:—

"A" Squadron.

Hony. Lieut. T. Griffin.	Trpr. G. F. Dixon.
Trpr. H. V. Collingridge.	" B. H. Humphrys.
" G. N. Nicklin.	" S. Threlkeld.

"B" Squadron.

S. Sergt.-Maj. E. C. Partridge.	Trpr. C. W. Cousins.
Farr.-Sergt. F. T. E. Abrahall.	" E. Davenport.
Trpr. H. L. Bartholomew.	" P. M. O'Riordan.
" W. L. S. Boileau.	" G. D. Smyth-Osborne.
Trpr. A. E. Scarth.	

"C" Squadron.

Sergt. C. Frisch.	Trpr. E. P. Johnson.
Trpr. C. K. Crossfield.	" O. G. Kiernander.
" J. H. Cumberlege.	" F. M. Ruff.
" J. A. de Vere Biss.	" G. R. Smith.
" A. S. Dobbs.	" H. Taylor.
Trpr. A. P. Selwyn.	

"G" Squadron.

Lce.-Sergt. C. A. Stanton.	Trpr. D. Barnes.
Corpl. G. N. Storrs.	" G. S. Cameron.
Lce.-Corpl. H. F. Dempster.	" R. A. D. Elliot.
Trpr. W. M. Aldersey.	" A. C. Pope.
Trpr. F. N. S. Field.	

"K" Squadron.

Corpl. K. C. Duff.	Trpr. J. Tyson-Tyson.
Trpr. L. Macdonald.	" J. J. W. Williams.
Trpr. A. E. C. McGavin.	

"M" Company.

Lieut. H. F. Ward.

"E" Company.

Capt. A. W. Woodhead.	Lieut. J. de C. Pook.
2nd Lieut. H. E. Winn.	

"F" Company.

Colr.-Sergt. N. V. Hart.

WAR SERVICES OF, AND MEDALS WORN BY, MEMBERS OF THE CORPS.

"A" Squadron.

Lieut.-Col. C. E. B. Seal	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal and Volunteer Officer's Decoration.
Capt. A. T. Dominy	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Lieut. H. C. C. Bennett	...	Queen's South African Medal and Clasps.
Hony. Lieut. and Qr.-Mr. T. Griffin	...	Egyptian Medal, 1882 ; Khedive's Star, 1882 ; Queen's South African Medal with Clasps ; King George's Darbar Medal, 1911 ; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
Regtl. Sergt.-Maj. E. E. Dyball	...	Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
Farr. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. L. J. Oakley	...	Frontier Medal and Clasps, 1897-98 ; Queen's South African Medal and Clasps ; Volunteer Long Service Medal.
O. R. Q.-Mr. Sergt. J. H. Collinson	...	King George's Darbar Medal, 1911.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj. J. Lang	...	Royal Humane Society's Medal ; Kaiser-i-Hind Medal ; King George's Darbar Medal ; and Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sergt. G. H. Cave	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Trpr. J. Benn	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
" W. C. Ball	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
" A. Chapman	...	Egyptian Medal, 1882 ; Khedive's Star, 1882 ; King George's Darbar Medal.
" W. H. Hodges	...	Tibet Mission Medal ; King George's Darbar Medal ; Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" C. T. Kirby	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" F. T. Partridge	...	Queen's South African Medal with Clasps.
" H. Jones	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal ; King George's Darbar Medal.
" J. N. Turner	...	Frontier Medal with Clasps—Relief of Chitral, 1895 ; Tirah, 1897 ; Punjab Frontier, 1898 ; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal ; King George's Darbar Medal.
" J. A. Danter	...	King George's Darbar Medal ; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
" H. Ball	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" E. Mackenzie	...	Tibet Mission Medal.
" S. Thacker	...	King's and Queen's South African Medals and Clasps ; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
" H. J. Lunn	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
" O. Lindgren	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" C. A. Bell	...	C. M. G.
Resvt. F. M. Timme	...	Albert Medal, 1899, for saving life in Darjeeling Disaster.
" V. E. Weatherall	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.

"B" Squadron.

Capt. G. A. Webb	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Hony. Capt. F. A. Wearing	...	Volunteer Officer's Decoration and Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Lieut. E. M. Woodcock	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj. Instr. A. Green	...	King's and Queen's South African Medals and five Clasps.

"B" Squadron—concl'd.

Regtl. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. S. Ansell	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj. E. C. Partridge	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sqdn. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. E. Scarth	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sergt.-Trpr. E. Terry	...	Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
Sergt. W. J. Davis	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Corpl. C. F. C. Steward	...	Queen's South African Medal and Clasps.
Lce.-Corpl. G. W. O'Brien	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" B. D. Wood	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Trpr. E. G. Birch	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" J. Calvert	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" C. S. Price	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" C. C. Robson	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" G. D. Smyth-Osbourne	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
" R. F. Day	...	Queen's South African Medal and Clasps.

"C" Squadron.

Lieut.-Col. G. F. Stoddart	...	Coronation Medal, 1911; King George's Darbar Medal; Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Major W. L. Goss	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal; Volunteer Officer's Decoration; King George's Darbar Medal.
Capt. L. Drysdale	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" W. L. Travers	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Lieut. J. A. McBean	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Hony. Lieut. & Qr.-Mr. H. Child	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj. Instr. A. E. Cass	...	Queen's South African Medal and Clasps.
Saddlr.-Sergt. G. E. Browne	...	Long Service and Good Conduct.
Sergt. A. D. Hickley	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
" J. M. Walker	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Lce.-Corpl. J. McLoughlin	...	Queen's South African Medal and Clasps.
Trpr. J. G. Hendry	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" C. J. Marshall	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" H. McBain	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" W. N. Price	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal; King George's Darbar Medal.
" G. Haig	...	South African Medal with Clasps.
Resvt. R. Davidson	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
Rev. P. Milne	...	Queen's South African Medal and Clasps.

"G" Squadron.

Major R. Gollan	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Capt. H. G. Cotton	...	Coronation Medal, 1903; Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Vety.-Capt. J. Gollan	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Surgn.-Capt. S. Ducat	...	Queen's South African Medal with Clasps.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Major R. H. Cartwright	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Farr.-Sergt. J. R. Cargill	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sergt. W. H. Brooks	...	Queen's South African Medal with Clasps.
Sergt. H. B. B. Smith	...	Queen's South African Medal with Clasps.
Corpl. J. Allen	...	Queen's South African Medal with Clasps.
Lce.-Corpl. D. Gollan	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Trpr. W. G. Dingwall	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" A. A. Goulden	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" W. H. Henderson	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" J. Thompson	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.

" K " Squadron.

Major F. E. Wood	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
2nd Lieut. C. J. Berrill	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Corpl. C. H. Bearpark	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Trpr. J. L. Baker	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" P. W. Duff	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" W. E. Hill	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" W. Trood	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" W. P. Thomas	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.

" M " Company.

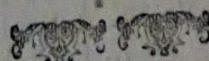
Major W. H. Edwards	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal and Volunteer Officer's Decoration.
Capt. R. A. Pymm	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal and Volunteer Officer's Decoration.
Lieut. W. H. Shea	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj A. W. Wearn	...	...	Queen's South African Medal with Clasps ; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
Coy. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. A. J. Stanton	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
O. R. Colr.-Sergt. F. E. Holland	...	...	King George's Darbar Medal.
Colr.-Sergt. F. Lofts	...	...	Long Service and Good Conduct Medal ; China Medal for Plague Duty.
Sergt. W. G. Mott	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Corpl. C. E. Smith	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Lce.-Corpl. R. Wallace	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Vol. D. Macdonald	...	...	Tibet Mission Medal.
" W. H. Oakley	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" A. Young	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
" S. W. Laden La	...	...	Tibet Mission Medal ; King's Police Medal.
" A. E. Flateman	...	...	King's and Queen's South African Medals with Clasps ; Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.
" C. Moxon	...	...	North-West Frontier, 1908 : Mommand Medal.
" S. K. Quigley	...	...	Tirah Medal, 1897 and 1898.

" H " Company.

Major E. E. Sharpe	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.
Captain A. R. Greene	...	...	Volunteer Long Service Medal.

" O " Company.

Major (Hony. Lieut.-Col.) C. W. Ansell	Volunteer Long Service Medal ; Volunteer Officer's Decoration ; King George's Darbar Medal.
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NOMINAL ROLL OF CORPS. **"A" Squadron.**

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. I (Tista) Troop.							
731	V.D., Lieut.-Col. Seal, C. E. B.	12-12-91	o	1	...	1	28
1556	Capt Mackie, R. D.	25-3-08	o	1	...	1	14
996	Lieut. Bennett, H. C. C.	8-8-14	o	1	...	1	13
2167	Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Lang, J.	1-2-13	M	1	...	1	21
2281	Sergt. Crees, B. N.	1-4-14	M	1	...	1	3
1900	Lce.-Corpl. Rougerelle, E. A.	20-12-09	1st	1	...	...	7
1653	" Kingsley, E. J.	1-10-15	M	1	...	...	9
2352	Trpr. Christison, S.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	5
2226	" Collinson, H. M.	8-8-14	M	1	...	...	4
2329	" Crowfoot, A. R.	15-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
2335	" Ferguson, W. E.	8-8-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2475	" FitzPatrick, H. M.	5-1-15	1st	...	1	...	1
1512	" Glanville, H. E.	26-11-04	M	1	...	...	12
1153	" Hewitt, J. S.	8-8-14	1st	1	...	...	9
2383	" Hindley, G. E. H.	1-11-14	M	1	...	...	2
1515	" Johnson, C. C. S.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	2
2467	" Langdale Smith, W. K.	7-12-15	1st	1	...	...	1
446	" Lindgren, O.	29-3-13	M	1	...	...	31
2328	" Mackenzie, J. W.	15-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
2323	" Marsh, F. G.	8-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
1987	" McIntyre, M.	1-11-11	1st	1	...	...	11
2334	" McKean, M. G.	8-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
63	" McNaught, P. A.	4-11-11	M	1	...	...	11
1641	" Partridge, F. T.	1-10-06	M	1	...	...	11
2058	" Primrose, C.	16-1-12	1st	1	...	...	5
2463	" Street, H. W. H.	1-10-15	M	1	...	...	1
694	" Tietkins, A. J. H.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	15
1063	" Wernicke, F. P.	1-8-15	M	1	...	...	4
No. II (Darjeeling) Troop.							
372	Capt. Dominy, A. T.	17-11-90	o	1	...	1	25
2367	2nd Lieut. Hardy, G. W.	1-6-14	o	1	...	1	7
2007	Hony. Lieut. Griffin, T.	1-5-11	†	1	...	1	5
936	Farr.-Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Oakley, L. J.	2-8-95	M	1	...	...	21
2226	Qr.-Mr. Sergt. O. R. C. Collinson, J. H.	1-12-13	M	1	...	...	3
284	Farr.-Sergt. Jones, H.	1-5-85	M	1	...	...	31
1732	Sergt. Bennett, A. H.	31-10-07	M	1	...	1	13
1184	" Cave, G. H.	12-11-99	M	1	...	1	17
2045	Corpl. Rough Rider Gent, J. R. P.	28-12-11	M	1	...	1	10
2031	" Jones, H. I.	1-11-11	M	1	...	1	8
449	Trpr. Adams, J. S.	8-8-14	M	1	...	...	4
2286	" Ball, H.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	17
2080	" Ball, W. C.	15-5-12	M	1	...	...	4
2295	" Danter, J. A.	1-5-14	M	1	...	1	8
2457	" Dey, G. G.	7-9-15	M	1	6
2359	" Dunlop, G. V. W.	25-9-14	1st	1	2

o Fired Revolver Course.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. II (Darjeeling Troop)—concl'd.							
1265	Trpr. Green, A. C.	1-4-99	M	1	...	...	17
2269	" Hales, H. A.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	5
2339	" Hawkins, W.	10-9-14	M	1	...	...	3
2368	" Jackson, J. D.	15-10-14	M	1	...	...	3
2297	" Jenkins, A. C.	6-5-14	M	1	...	...	3
1187	" Kirby, C. T.	4-1-00	M	1	...	...	22
2360	" Lunn, H. J.	25-9-14	M	1	...	...	3
2337	" Mears, T.	8-8-14	M	1	...	...	5
2351	" O'Brien, T.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	2
2375	" Savi, E. E.	15-10-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2306	" Thacker, S.	9-4-14	M	1	...	...	2
2338	" Tully, J. C.	8-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
2350	" Watson, H.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	2
No. III (Kallimpong) Troop.							
1855	Sergt. Freer, J.	1-4-09	M	1	...	1	12
2091	Corpl. Williams, A. F.	15-5-12	M	1	...	...	6
1291	Trpr. Bell, C. A. (C. M. G.)	1-1-15	M	1	...	...	10
2424	" Byers, R. H.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	16
2333	" Collingridge, H. V.	...	†	1	...	...	2
2471	" Dewar, K. P.	1-12-15	M	1	...	...	21
2371	" Dixon, G. F.	15-10-14	†	1	...	...	2
2110	" Dracott, C. H.	15-5-12	M	1	...	...	6
1312	" Edmond, H. R.	15-10-14	M	1	...	...	2
2495	" Ferrie, W. W.	1-12-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2470	" Hartless, L. C.	21-11-15	M	1	...	...	4
1241	" Hodges, W. H.	12-12-00	M	1	...	...	23
884	" Holl, G.	8-8-04	M	1	...	...	11
2163	" Humphrys, B. H.	1-9-12	†	1	...	...	4
2346	" Johnson, J.	19-9-14	1st	1	...	...	6
2451	" Lloyd, J. T.	1-8-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1228	" Mackenzie, E.	1-7-06	M	1	...	...	13
2330	" Nicklin, G. N.	8-8-14	†	1	...	...	2
2082	" O'Donoghue, P. E.	15-5-12	...	1	...	...	6
2494	" Roberts, C.	1-12-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2092	" Thomas, H.	5-5-12	M	1	...	...	4
2287	" Threlkeld, S.	6-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
1962	" Turner, C.	1-12-15	1st	1	...	...	3
1847	" Turner, J. N.	1-4-09	M	1	...	...	5
Non-Efficients.							
2390	Trpr. Masson, C. E.	3-9-15	...	...	...	...	...
1181	" Mackenzie, C. B.	5-7-13	...	...	...	...	...
Reservists.							
1489	Capt. Mackenzie, K. L.	8-8-14	...	...	...	...	...
373	Resvt. Dominy, G. H.	8-5-14	...	...	...	...	...
1784	" Green, H.	10-5-08	...	...	...	...	...
265	" Shannon, A. T.	19-9-14	...	...	...	...	...
1484	" Timme, F. M.	1-4-04	...	...	...	...	...
32	" Weatherall, V. E.	1-4-15

* Fired Revolver Course.

† Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient for Long Service Medal.
No. I (Kurseeong) Troop.							
282	V.D. Hony. Capt. Wearing, F. A. ...	31-6-84	°	1	...	1	31
2010	Rev. Waite, A. ...	20-1-11	...	1	...	...	5
2221	Sergt.-Trpr. Terry, E. ...	10-11-13	1st	1	...	1	3
1216	Sergt. Linberry Kerr, G. W. ...	1-6-09	M	1	...	1	12
546	Corpl. A. O'B. Webb ...	1-12-12	M	1	...	1	16
1027	Lce.-Corpl. O'Brien, G. W. ...	18-12-99	M	1	...	...	18
2314	" Graham, H. W. O. ...	21-7-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2448	Trpr. Blomfield, H. G. ...	29-11-15	M	1	...	...	6
2222	" Collinson, C. H. ...	1-11-13	M	1	...	...	6
235	" Davies, L. ...	8-5-14	1st†	1	...	...	8
2128	" Dixon, R. V. ...	3-9-12	1st	1	...	...	4
583	" Dominy, J. H. ...	1-12-12	M	1	...	...	5
1204	" Gammie, J. P. ...	1-11-10	M	1	...	...	10
2479	" Hogshaw, F. H. ...	5-12-15	1st	1	...	...	6
1054	" Holloway, D. G. ...	7-12-14	1st	1	...	...	12
2477	" Lloyd, A. ...	5-1-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2343	" Maflin, A. G. ...	24-8-14	M†	1	...	...	2
1576	" Martin, C. C. ...	1-2-08	1st†	1	...	...	12
1918	" McColl, Rev. H. C. ...	1-2-10	M	1	...	1	12
2133	" Modder, E. A. C. ...	15-11-12	1st	1	...	1	11
1971	" O'Driscoll, J. W. ...	1-11-10	M	1	...	...	13
2129	" O'Riorden, P. M. ...	3-9-14	†	1	...	...	4
2317	" Patterson, A. A. ...	21-7-14	1st	1	...	...	5
881	" Price, C. S. ...	1-6-05	1st	1	...	1	19
1731	" Robson, C. C. ...	9-1-97	1st	...	1	...	20
2170	" Stein, J. A. ...	1-2-13	1st	1	...	...	4
No. II (Mirik) Troop.							
547	Capt. Webb, G. A. ...	7-2-88	°	1	...	1	27
997	Regtl. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Ansell, S. E. ...	9-11-01	M	1	...	1	26
1910	Sqdn. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Scarth, E. ...	20-1-10	1st	1	...	...	23
1972	Sergt. Calvert, E. W. M. ...	1-11-10	M	1	...	1	8
1784	Corpl. Boileau, B. F. S. ...	1-11-10	M	1	...	1	11
998	Trpr. Birch, E. G. ...	12-10-97	M	1	...	...	25
1973	" Cattell, M. G. ...	1-11-10	M¶	1	...	...	22
2033	" Davenport, E. ...	11-11-11	†	1	...	...	9
1158	" Noone, F. D. ...	1-12-12	1st	1	...	...	7
2134	" Pelly, C. T. ...	15-11-12	1st	1	...	...	4
2138	" Rolfe, J. S. ...	1-12-12	M	1	...	1	4
2336	" Scarth, A. E. ...	24-8-14	†	1	...	...	4
2142	" Shaw, P. G. ...	1-12-12	1st	1	...	...	8
1965	" Smyth-Osbourne, G. D. ...	11-11-10	†	1	8
2338	" Stevens, H. ...	24-8-14	M	1	...	1	7

* Fired Revolver Course.

† Non-Efficient.

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¶ Best shot in Squadron.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. III (Terai) Troop.							
908	Lient. Woodcock, E. M.	12-1-95	*	1	...	1	18
1192	Sergt. Knight, C. E. V.	22-1-00	1st	1	...	1	15
1795	Lce.-Corpl. Clyne, D. F.	10-2-10	1st	1	...	1	10
1133	" Wood, B. D.	25-10-97	1st	1	...	...	18
2259	Trpr. Anderson, W.	26-2-14	M	1	...	...	7
2257	" Bartholomew, H. L.	26-2-14	†	1	...	...	3
2256	" Cox, H. W.	26-2-14	M	1	...	...	7
1581	" Day, R. F.	15-12-05	1st	1	...	...	12
1362	" Dominy, A. G.	1-10-12	1st	1	...	...	6
1746	" Elder, W. A.	1-12-07	1st	1	...	...	9
2324	" Farren, D. A. C.	15-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
1445	" Fraser, J.	15-2-04	M	1	...	...	12
1516	" Garner, G. R.	14-12-04	1st	1	...	1	16
2388	" Gibson, H. S.	24-11-14	M	1	...	1	14
1887	" Hepburn, G. W.	19-10-11	M	1	...	...	5
781	" Jack, L. H.	5-1-16	M	1	...	...	7
2185	" Kelly, J. C.	6-5-3	1st	1	...	...	7
712	" Malins, H. W.	10-9-14	1st	1	...	...	20
2432	" Marshall, R. S.	14-5-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2481	" Mitchell, C.	5-1-16	M	1	...	...	14
1443	" Peacock, G. E. B.	26-1-04	M	1	...	...	11
1676	" Pitcairn, R. W.	7-12-14	1st	1	...	...	7
2258	" Thompson, J. R.	26-2-14	M	1	...	...	3
1746	" Turner, B. E.	1-4-10	M	1	...	1	6
No. IV (Hope Town) Troop.							
1123	2nd Lient. Davis, W. J.	24-10-98	M	1	...	1	18
674	Sqdn. Sergt.-Major Partridge, E. C.	27-11-90	†	1	...	1	26
1958	Farr.-Sergt. Abrahall, F. E.	1-8-10	†	1	...	1	6
1660	Sergt. Willes, G. L.	17-12-06	1st	1	...	1	10
1795	Corpl. Russell, P. T.	19-7-08	M	1	...	1	8
1845	" Steward, C. F. C.	7-3-09	1st	1	...	1	7
1189	Lce.-Corpl. Pullan, H. A. S.	24-8-14	M	1	...	...	3
853	Trpr. Batterbury, G. H.	19-9-14	M	1	...	1	12
848	" Batterbury, J.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	9
779	" Boileau, W. L. S.	6-5-13	†	1	...	...	7
1665	" Calvert, J.	17-1-07	1st	1	...	...	24
2377	" Childs, T. H.	28-10-14	M	1	...	1	5
2316	" Cook, W.	21-7-14	1st	1	...	...	2
1832	" Cornish, F. C.	1-1-09	1st	1	...	...	13
1972	" Cousins, C. W.	1-11-10	†	1	...	1	11
1301	" Craddock, H. J.	10-9-14	1st	1	...	...	14
1494	" Cresswell, P. W.	10-11-13	1st	1	7
1001	" Donelan, C. H.	15-8-14	1st	1	2
1639	" Falconar, H. J.	14-8-06	M	1	10

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No. IV (Hope Town Troop)— concl'd.							
2479	Trpr. Hulbert, J. ...	1-4-14	1st	1	2
2438	" Leitch, R. A. ...	30-5-15	1st	1	1
907	" Moffat, D. ...	21-7-14	M	1	5
681	" Oakley, F. L. H. ...	9-5-15	1st	1	1
1829	" Renaut, F. B. ...	16-1-09	M	1	8
1983	" Shaw, G. E. ...	10-5-08	M	1	8
2480	" Wilson, R. G. ...	5-12-15	M	1	1
Reservists.							
2345	Resvt. Brown, C. ...	24-8-14
800	" Brown, P. ...	24-8-14
736	" Browne, A. D. ...	12-1-92
707	" Canning, E. ...	5-1-16
2341	" Crossman, H. G. ...	24-8-14
1144	" Frizelle, A. ...	18-11-98
10	" Irwin, H. R. A. ...	19-9-14
869	" Koettlitz, R. ...	5-1-16
2335	" Möller, P. ...	24-8-14
2394	" Nicholson, G. C. K. ...	19-9-14
1537	" Renny, C. A. ...	5-1-16



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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. I (Chalsa) Troop.							
1123	Capt. Drysdale, L.						
1306	Lieut. McBean, J. A.	14-12-96	o	1	...	1	19
1125	Surgt.-Capt. McCutcheon, O.	11-2-02	o	1	...	1	19
	Rev. Milne, P.	1-10-98	o	1	...	...	18
1441	Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj Murdoch, F.	18-12-09	o	1	...	...	7
1736	Sergt. Smith, S. B.	24-4-04	M	1	...	1	13
1745	Corpl. Legge, N. W.	7-12-07	M	1	...	1	14
1423	" McKechnie, G.	1-11-07	1st	1	...	...	15
1815	Lce.-Corpl. McDonald, J.	10-12-05	M	1	...	...	13
1975	Trpr. Macfarlane, D.	24-11-08	M	1	...	...	8
2466	Trpr. Allan, C. S.	1-12-10	1st	1	...	...	10
1417	" Bateman, C.	1-11-15	2nd	...	1	...	1
2379	" Branch, R. F.	21-3-03	M	1	...	...	2
2309	" Bryson, D. B.	28-10-14	M	1	...	...	1
2149	" Cleland, M.	22-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
2066	" Corbin, C. R. C.	1-1-13	1st	1	...	...	4
2384	" Cowdell, A. H. R.	7-3-12	M	1	...	...	5
2171	" Cumberlege, J. H.	11-11-14	1st	1	...	...	2
1613	" Deck, E.	12-2-13	†	1	...	...	4
2347	" Dobbs, A. F.	1-7-06	M	1	...	...	10
2029	" Dunlop, J. C.	16-8-14	†	1	...	...	2
2404	" Fawcett, R. W. H.	15-11-11	1st	1	...	...	5
1952	" Gordon, J.	30-12-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2408	" Graham, J. S.	9-7-10	M	1	...	...	6
2311	" Harrison, J. E. B.	19-12-14	M	1	...	...	2
1967	" Hawkins, H. M.	22-5-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2027	" Jones, L.	2-8-10	M	1	...	...	6
2147	" Kennedy, P. D.	15-11-11	M	1	...	...	5
2405	" Kynock, A. A.	1-1-13	M	1	...	...	4
2195	" Lawson, J. H.	18-12-14	1st	1	...	...	2
1962	" Lumsden, H. R.	31-7-13	M	1	...	...	3
1196	" Peacock, C. F.	19-9-12	1st	1	...	...	6
532	" Price, W. N.	19-1-00	M	1	...	...	17
2410	" Rodger, D.	18-11-05	1st	1	...	...	14
1996	" Ruff, F. M.	27-1-15	M	1	...	...	2
578	" Smith, C. H.	1-2-11	†	1	...	...	8
2158	" Smith, G. R.	14-4-89	M	1	...	...	23
2431	" Smith, C. D.	21-12-12	†	1	...	...	6
1874	" Taylor, H.	17-6-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1666	" Watt, J. A.	1-8-09	†	1	...	...	10
2225	" Watt, N.	1-5-05	M	1	10
2348	" Webster, J. A.	1-1-11	1st	1	8
2148	" Wiseman, H. T.	16-8-14	M	1	2
		25-11-13	1st	1	5

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NOMINAL ROLL OF CORPS.

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification Marking.	Extra Effort.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient to 31st Dec Long Service Medal.
No. II (Mal) Troop.							
1223	Capt. Travers, W. L.	10-11-00	°	1	...	1	19
1280	Surg.-Maj. Brown, W.	1-10-01	°	1	...	...	15
1227	Sqdn. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Gray, W. J.	17-11-00	M	1	...	...	12
1791	Sergt. Watson, R. P.	9-6-08	M	1	...	1	10
1998	Farr.-Sergt. Edmund, J.	1-3-11	M	1	...	1	6
1680	Corpl. Jackson, W. F.	1-2-07	1st	1	...	1	10
1979	Lce.-Corpl. Allan, T. W.	1-1-11	M	1	...	1	11
2275	Trpr. Allan, D. S.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2209	" Anderson, W. W.	25-8-13	M	1	...	...	6
2409	" Beech, R.	19-12-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2407	" Bissett, J. L.	19-12-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2057	" Calder, J.	25-1-12	M	1	...	...	5
1195	" Crichton, C. N.	29-1-00	1st	1	...	...	17
2362	" Crossfield, C. K.	26-9-14	†	1	...	...	2
2400	" Daunt, L. C.	7-12-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2241	" de Vere Biss, J. A.	5-2-14	†	1	...	...	5
2482	" Dick, A. J.	5-12-15	2nd	...	1	...	1
2406	" Dobbie, T. B.	19-12-14	1st	1	...	...	2
1907	" Donaldson, D.	15-1-10	M	1	...	...	7
1654	" Downie, D. A.	5-2-14	M	1	...	...	4
1961	" Duncan, R. C.	1-9-10	M	1	...	...	10
2154	" Gall, G. S.	23-12-12	1st	1	...	...	4
2172	" Hains, J. A. R.	12-2-13	M	1	...	...	8
1673	" Hendry, J. G.	1-1-07	M	1	...	...	18
1913	" Manners, H. R.	25-1-10	M	1	...	...	10
1711	" McGregor, A.	1-9-07	M	1	...	...	13
2242	" McKenzie, D.	5-2-14	M	1	...	...	3
2035	" McPherson, G.	15-12-11	M	1	...	...	5
2336	" Ross, J. T.	26-1-14	M	1	...	...	6
2417	" Russell, T. K.	16-2-15	1st	1	...	...	2
1982	" Selwyn, A. P.	1-1-11	†	1	...	...	10
1333	" Sloan, J.	4-2-03	1st	1	...	...	13
2043	" Storey, G.	15-12-11	1st	1	...	...	7
2153	" Whyte, J.	21-12-12	M	1	...	...	4
No. III (Dam Dim) Troop.							
368	V.D., Major Goss, W. L.	17-2-87	°	1	...	1	30
1193	Lieut. Luard, B. E.	26-1-00	°	1	...	1	17
874	Lieut. & Qr.-Mr. Child, H.	1-1-09	°	1	...	...	17
1712	Sergt. Brown, A. G.	1-9-07	M†	1	...	1	12
1659	Arm. Sergt. Walker, J. M.	16-12-06	M	1	...	1	17
1643	Lce.-Sergt. Frisch, C.	5-10-03	†	1	...	1	10
1851	Lce.-Corpl. Bird-Wilson, H.	1-4-09	M	1	7
2051	" Aitken, M. E.	25-1-12	M	1	...	1	7

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	in Classification Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. III (Dam Dlm) Troop—concl'd.							
1669	Lie.-Corpl. McLaren, R.	1-12-06	1st	1	...	...	16
2044	Trpr. Davis, R. C.	15-1-12	1st	1	...	...	5
2499	" Ducat, A. B.	4-3-16	1st	1	...	...	9
2169	" Ducat, H.	1-2-13	M	1	...	...	4
1571	" Goldsmith, A.	29-9-05	M	1	...	...	11
2381	" Haig, G.	1-11-14	M	1	...	...	2
1908	" Johnson, E. P.	20-1-10	"	1	...	...	7
1987	" Keen, W. E.	4-2-11	2nd	1	...	...	6
2107	" Lewis, H. T.	30-6-12	1st	1	...	...	8
1135	" Marshall, C. J.	25-9-98	M	1	...	...	19
1968	" McBain, H.	1-12-10	M	1	...	...	20
2418	" McLevin, R.	9-1-15	1st	1	...	...	2
1822	" McLoughlan, J.	24-12-08	1st	1	...	...	8
2345	" McTaggart, D.	20-8-14	1st	1	...	...	2
1762	" Molloy, P. T.	1-1-08	M	1	...	...	14
2465	" Nailer, W. E.	15-10-15	M	1	...	...	1
1251	" O'Donel, J. H.	1-1-01	2nd	1	...	...	19
2366	" Saunders, C. W.	16-9-14	2nd	1	...	...	2
2450	" Stewart, J.	13-7-15	1st	1	...	1	1
2240	" Wotherspoon, W. S.	5-2-14	M	1	...	...	6
No. IV (Jaipalguri) Troop.							
2430	2nd Lieut. Polwhele, J. A.	17-6-15	†	1	...	1	15
2034	Sadlr. Sergt. Browne, G. E.	15-12-11	1st	1	...	1	8
1970	Corpl. Shebbeare, E. O.	29-11-10	M	1	...	1	8
2111	Trpr. Blomfield, J. D.	11-7-12	1st	1	...	...	6
1415	" Desbruslais, W. E.	8-11-03	M	1	...	...	13
1801	" Gibbs, W. H.	1-4-09	M	1	...	...	12
2464	" Hubbard, A. C.	6-8-15	M	1	...	...	16
2224	" Hollows, B. A.	5-10-11	1st	1	...	...	14
1681	" Harrison, C. P. M.	14-2-07	1st	1	...	...	2
1799	" Kiernander, O. G.	1-4-09	†	1	...	...	14
197	" Lydiard, L. W.	14-11-14	M	1	...	...	8
2131	" Monckton, P. T.	15-11-12	M	1	...	...	23
2332	" McKenzie, J. M.	15-8-14	M	1	...	...	3
2225	" O'Gorman, C.	5-12-13	M	1	...	...	9
2357	" Rodericks, M. E. B.	30-9-14	M	1	...	...	8
Reservists.							
1375	Resvt. Carmichael, J.	9-12-05	1st	1	...	...	...
1357	" Chaplin, A. C.	24-4-03	1st	1
1152	" Davidson, R.	2-7-99	M	1
945	" Field, W. P.	15-10-98	M	1
1003	" Hogarth, A. C.	6-8-15	2nd	...	1

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"G" Squadron.

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient forwards Long Service Medal.
No. I (Nagrakata) Troop.							
651	Capt. Cotton, H. G.	25-4-09	*	1	1	1	25
1596	Sergt. Smith, H. B. B.	25-1-06	1st	1	...	1	16
1733	Corpl. Stone, C. A.	18-11-07	M	1	...	1	9
1718	Lce.-Corpl. Cooper, J. H.	5-10-07	M	1	...	1	12
1451	Trmptr. Lewis, F.	7-2-04	1st	1	...	...	13
2443	Trpr. Ballantine, R. L. R.	13-7-15	M	1	...	...	1
1980	" Clapham, J.	1-1-11	M	1	...	...	7
2385	" Fenton, R.	24-11-14	M	1	...	...	2
2341	" Gooch, R. T.	10-9-14	1st	1	...	...	2
1079	" Henderson, W. H.	22-11-97	†	...	...	...	18
2315	" Hillyer, A. J.	21-7-14	1st	...	1	...	2
2056	" Jaye, R. N.	1-1-13	M	1	...	...	5
2206	" Rankin, R. H.	31-7-13	1st	1	...	...	3
2416	" Rolfe, C. H.	16-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1338	" Thompson, J.	1-1-03	M	1	...	...	21
2346	" Tolson, H.	24-8-14	2nd	1	...	...	2
1522	" Whitmore, T. A.	1-1-05	M	1	...	...	8
1271	" Whitmore, W.	1-8-09	M	1	...	...	13
2037	" Worling, A. D.	15-12-11	M	1	...	...	5
No. II (Kurti) Troop.							
1181	Lieut. Milne, W. I.	27-11-99	*	1	...	1	17
1734	Sergt. Turbett, G. J. H. T.	1-11-07	1st	1	...	1	8
1199	Farr.-Sergt. Cargill, J. R.	1-2-00	1st	1	...	1	22
1896	Corpl. Turnbull, A. M.	1-8-09	M	1	...	1	7
1735	" Allan, J.	7-1-08	M	1	...	...	16
1699	Lce.-Corpl. Mathieson, J.	1-6-07	M	1	...	...	14
1100	" Gollan, D.	3-2-98	M	1	...	...	19
877	Trpr. Dingwall, W. G.	13-2-94	M	1	...	1	17
2228	" Dow, A. S.	16-12-13	M	1	...	...	3
2116	" Entwisle, G. R.	31-7-12	1st	1	...	...	4
2484	" Hutchison, G. J. B.	22-11-15	M	1	...	...	1
2483	" Jewett, H. L.	19-11-15	M†	1	...	...	1
1763	" Jones, E. G. C.	5-11-15	M	1	...	...	5
2039	" McTaggart, D.	15-12-11	M	1	...	...	5
2387	" Partridge, C. R.	24-11-14	M	1	...	...	2
2378	" Smith, A. G.	17-10-14	M	1	...	...	6
2173	" Smith, S. S.	6-2-13	M	1	...	...	4
2055	" Thompson, L. C.	1-1-12	M	1	...	...	5
2335	" Tyack, C. N.	26-1-14	M	1	...	...	4
1899	" Veitch, E. P.	1-12-09	M	1	...	...	8
1376	" Wilson, A. W.	13-11-05	M	...	1	...	13

* Fired Revolver Course.

† Not exercised.

‡ Best Shot in Squadron.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	is Classification Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	President.	is efficient in what other Medal.
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No. III (Telepara) Troop.

1022	Major Gollan, R.	...	4-12-96	o	1	...	1	22
1280	Surgn.-Capt. Ducat, S.	...	24-4-01	...	1	...	1	16
1434	Sergt. Brooks, W. H.	...	1-12-03	1st	1	...	1	16
1717	" Graham, F. M.	...	6-10-07	M	1	...	1	9
1605	Corpl. Wotherspoon, J. H.	...	24-2-04	M	1	...	1	14
1713	Trpr. Briggs, H. F.	...	28-9-01	1st	1	...	...	8
2498	" Duffield, H.	...	7-2-16	1st	...	1	...	1
2162	" Gamble, F. N.	...	1-2-13	1st	1	...	...	4
1810	" Greig, R. S.	...	14-11-08	1st	...	1	...	12
2161	" Jones, F. R.	...	1-2-13	M	1	...	...	9
1719	" Lorimer, C. W.	...	1-10-07	M	1	...	...	8
2048	" Mack, R.	...	1-1-12	M	1	...	...	5
2342	" Mackenzie, A.	...	10-9-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2096	" Macpherson, J. J.	...	31-5-12	1st	1	...	...	7
1858	" Milne, J. L.	...	1-5-09	M	1	...	...	13
2421	" Morrison, M.	...	4-3-15	1st	1	...	...	2
2398	" Murray, J.	...	7-12-14	M	1	...	...	2
2501	" Orton, C.	...	7-3-14	M	...	1	...	1
976	" Pernon, E. A.	...	4-3-15	1st	...	1	...	2
2166	" Potts, C.	...	1-2-13	M	1	...	...	7
2364	" Robinson, F. H.	...	15-10-14	2nd	1	...	...	2
2072	" Shaw, G. L.	...	1-1-12	M	1	...	...	5
2046	" Smith, W. J.	...	1-1-12	M	1	...	...	5
1608	" Turner, J.	...	1-3-06	1st	1	...	...	11
2282	" Watson, J. J. C.	...	8-5-14	M	1	...	...	2

No. IV (Hantapara) Troop.

753	Vet. Capt. Gollan, J.	...	1-1-91	o	1	...	1	24
1186	Lieut. Macalister, A. S.	...	20-12-99	o	1	...	1	16
1185	Sqdn. Sergt.-Maj. Cartwright, R. H.	...	3-1-99	M	1	...	1	17
1611	Sergt. Ralston, G. C.	...	6-4-06	M	1	...	1	14
2036	Corpl. Allan, P. S.	...	15-12-11	M	1	...	1	11
2412	Trpr. Anderson, F. M.	...	6-2-15	M	1	...	...	1
2263	" Atkins, J. W. B.	...	26-2-14	1st	1	...	...	3
2343	" Bates, G. E.	...	5-8-14	1st	1	...	1	2
1873	" Beech, W. S.	...	1-8-09	M	1	...	...	5
2419	" Davidson, A.	...	14-1-15	1st	1	...	...	2
2428	" Fraser, D. D.	...	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	16
1891	" Fraser, J.	...	10-11-09	M	1	...	...	7
1999	" Goulden, A. A.	...	31-1-11	M	1	...	...	18
2243	" Irving, M.	...	7-3-12	1st	1	...	...	3
2353	" Jackson, G.	...	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	2
2036	" Lawford, L. A. W.	...	4-11-11	2nd	1	...	...	4
1283	" Leyde, O. D.	...	21-11-03	1st	1	10
2332	" Mackenzie, J. M.	...	6-7-14	M	1	3

* Fired Revolver Course.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. IV (Hantapara) Troop— <i>concl'd.</i>							
1244	Trpr. McLean, R.	12-12-00	M	1	...	...	16
2237	" Meikle, T.	18-1-14	M	1	...	...	5
2497	" Morton, V.	3-2-16	2nd	...	1	...	1
2168	" Neal, H. B.*	1-8-09	†	...	...	...	5
2113	" Refoy, G. A.	31-7-12	†	...	...	...	6
2489	" Robinson, F. E. M.	7-1-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2283	" Shelverton, H. M.	1-4-14	†	...	...	...	11
Reservists.							
1722	Resvt. Abel, J.	21-10-07	...	...	...	...	...
1595	" Bryer, W. H.	9-12-05	...	...	...	...	...
1340	" Hughes, J.	1-1-03
773	" Mortimer, H. R.	7-1-07
1437	" Murray, K. D.	21-1-04

* On leave.

† Not exercised.

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" K " Squadron.

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. I (Hasimara) Troop.							
1462	2nd Lieut. Webb, N. G.	1-11-03	o	1	...	1	16
1904	Sergt. Webbe, W. V.	4-1-10	M	1	...	...	11
1919	Corpl. Goldsmith, V. B.	15-3-10	M	1	...	...	7
1610	Lce.-Corpl. Durant, R. J.	7-4-04	M	1	...	...	12
1862	" Stodart, W. J.	10-4-09	M	1	...	...	5
1985	" Ogg, J. B.	25-1-11	M	1	...	...	8
2313	Trpr. Baker, J. C.	12-6-14	1st	1	...	1	4
2500	" Bowie, D.	8-3-16	1st	1	...	...	1
1884	" Bremner, C. A.	15-11-09	1st	1	...	...	10
2399	" Burton, M. H.	21-11-14	M	1	...	...	5
1658	" Burton, R. F. W.	6-8-08	M	1	...	...	9
2015	" Harper, G. M.	26-6-11	M	1	...	...	5
2350	" Kilkelly, K.	17-8-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2145	" Macdonald, L.	1-11-12	1st	1	...	...	4
2349	" Mansfield, A. E. B.	17-8-14	1st	1	...	...	8
1899	" O'Donel, H. V.	9-11-09	1st	1	...	...	7
2146	" Ricketts, A. C.	3-12-12	M	1	...	1	9
2276	" Routledge, W. McW.	19-1-14	1st	1	...	...	3
2144	" Savill, C. W.	1-11-12	1st	1	...	...	4
1154	" Smithett, B. D. H.	8-1-99	M	1	...	1	11
2217	" Stowell, W.	2-10-13	M	1	...	...	11
1099	" Thomas, W. P.	3-2-98	M	1	...	...	19
1141	" Trood, W.	14-1-98	1st	1	...	...	17
No. II (Kalchini) Troop.							
1055	Major Wood, F. Evan	10-5-97	o	1	...	1	18
1230	Lieut. Luard, G. E.	8-12-00	o	1	...	1	14
1316	Sqdn. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Earwaker, H. E. B.	12-10-02	M	1	...	...	14
1931	Sergt. Hill, G. C.	23-4-10	M†	1	...	1	14
1838	Lce.-Corpl. Smith, S. B.	1-1-09	M	1	...	1	11
2008	Trpr. Baker, J. L.	1-8-15	M	1	...	...	20
2012	" Balls, A. H.	9-5-11	M	1	...	1	7
2369	" Bingemann, L. L.	22-9-14	1st	1	...	...	4
2490	" Birch, J. S.	29-12-15	M	1	...	...	1
1859	" Blake, C. R.	1-11-12	M	1	...	...	5
2468	" Child, K. D.	10-10-15	1st	1	...	...	3
1404	" Foote, W. A.	13-1-03	M	1	...	...	13
2158	" Glasson, A. K.	15-1-13	1st	1	...	...	4
1890	" Goodbrand, G.	1-11-10	M	1	...	...	7
1706	" Landon, E. G.	16-8-07	M	1	...	...	9
1964	" Landon, H. K.	1-11-10	M	1	...	...	6
1809	" Leslie, E. E.	11-11-08	M	1	...	...	11
2050	" Peacock, A. H.	7-1-12	M	1	...	...	5

* Fired Revolver Course.
† Best Shot in Squadron.

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Prodigious.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. III (Newlands) Troop.							
1630	Sergt. Smith, Leo	2-7-06	M	1	...	1	10
632	Corpl. Bearpark, C. H.	19-12-97	M	1	...	...	21
1508	" Mackie, J.	16-11-04	M	1	...	1	12
1525	Lce.-Corpl. Cheshire, H. R.	5-1-05	M	1	...	...	11
2172	Trpr. Chisholm, A.	15-10-03	M	1	...	...	11
2427	" Douglas, W. G.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	2
2291	" Downing, L. D.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	5
1920	" Gadd, G.	25-3-10	M	1	...	...	7
1110	" Hill, W. E.	23-3-98	M	1	...	...	20
2292	" Ince, C.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2064	" Lindsley, M. A.	6-3-12	M	1	...	...	6
2063	" Macdonald, J. M.	21-2-12	M	1	...	...	6
2348	" Paton, T. B.	19-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
2232	" Scorgie, A.	16-12-13	M	1	...	...	6
2389	" Sharpe, E. R.	7-11-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2458	" Symington, J.	18-8-15	M	1	...	...	5
2186	" Telfer, L. P.	5-7-13	1st	1	...	...	6
2203	" Wilkin, J. J. W.	13-7-13	M	1	...	...	5
1997	" Wilson, W. M.	21-3-11	1st	1	...	...	5
No. IV (Purnea) Troop.							
166	2nd Lieut. Berrill, C. J.	13-6-12	*	1	...	1	19
2392	Lce.-Sergt. Murphy, P. W.	30-10-14	1st	1	...	...	16
120	Corpl. Mackay, E.	13-6-12	M	1	...	...	14
2212	Lce.-Corpl. Tyler, W.	19-7-13	M	1	...	...	3
2354	Trpr. Costly, J. C.	30-9-14	1st	1	...	...	2
301	" Crow, F. W. J.	13-6-12	M	1	...	...	12
2104	" Duff, K. C.	13-6-12	†	1	...	...	12
2135	" Duff, L. A.	13-6-12	1st	1	...	1	11
1589	" Duff, P. W.	13-6-12	M	1	...	...	18
2358	" Duff, R. R.	10-9-14	†	1	...	1	6
2469	" Edmonds, A. M.	30-11-15	M	1	...	...	4
2423	" Hosmer, W.	1-8-14	1st	1	...	...	3
167	" Mackay, E. G.	13-6-12	M	1	...	...	13
2318	" McDonald, C. S.	26-6-14	1st	1	...	...	4
2351	" McGavin, A. E. C.	26-9-14	†	1	...	...	7
2160	" Patterson, G. C.	3-1-13	1st	1	...	...	16
126	" Picachy, L.	13-6-12	M	1	...	...	12
2393	" Smith, C. T.	6-11-14	M	1	...	...	5
2391	" Williams, J. J.	30-10-14	†	1	...	...	7
Reservists.							
2403	Resvt. Pyne, R. W.	27-11-14	...	...	...	...	...
83	" Shillingford, A. J.	21-2-92	...	...	...	...	...
1654	" Shillingford, C. J.	19-11-06	...	...	...	...	...
928	" Shillingford, G.	27-11-14	1st	1

* Fired Revolver Course.

† Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

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"M" (Infantry) Company.

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	in Classification Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient to- wards Long Service Medal.
No. I (Mail) Section.							
1474	V. D., Major Edwards, W. H.	...	...	...	...	...	...
872	V. D., Capt. Pymm, R. A.	14-5-04	o†	1	...	1	21
1539	Lieut. Shea, W. H.	15-4-00	o	1	...	1	37
1849	Coy. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Stanton, A. J.	15-4-05	o	1	...	1	26
1365	O. R. Colr.-Sergt. Holland, F. E.	1-4-09	M	1	...	1	27
2296	Sergt. Lee, F.	27-7-03	M†	1	...	1	13
2298	Corpl. Chapman, J. G.	8-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
2456	Vol. Brown, F. H.	9-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
2302	" Cooper, C. R.	6-9-15	1st	1	...	...	2
1955	" Cummins, H.	9-5-14	M	1	...	...	1
2211	" Collins, A.	1-8-10	M	1	...	...	6
2305	" Dalton, F.	27-8-13	M	1	...	...	3
2434	" Davenport, A.	9-5-14	M	1	...	...	1
2347	" Flateman, A. E.	17-6-15	M	1	...	...	3
2020	" Gow, B. S. E.	19-9-14	M	1	...	...	2
2299	" Jones, P.	1-10-11	1st	1	...	...	5
2336	" Kelly, J.	9-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
2304	" Langley, R.	10-9-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2474	" Luff, H.	9-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
2225	" Mackenzie, O.	30-11-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2433	" Moxon, C.	12-4-13	1st	1	...	...	3
2454	" Moxon, C.	7-6-15	M	1	...	...	3
2454	" Perry, E. B.	1-9-15	M	1	...	...	2
2492	" Robertson, R. M.	1-1-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2442	" Seavers, W.	12-7-15	M	1	...	...	1
1602	" Smith, J. Burlington	30-12-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2491	" Smythe, R. O.	1-1-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2119	" Vado, L. J.	30-7-12	1st	1	...	...	4
1948	" Ward, C.	1-7-10	1st	1	...	...	6
2302	" Winfield, E.	9-5-14	M	1	...	...	2
No. II (Railway and Telegraph) Section.							
1617	Lieut. Ward, H. F.	5-5-06	o	1	...	1	14
1701	Colr.-Sergt. Lofts, F.	27-7-07	M	1	...	1	9
1270	Sergt. Orr, P.	1-11-01	M	1	...	...	15
1372	Lce.-Sergt. Carey, G. S.	30-7-02	M	1	...	...	16
1366	Corpl. Barratt, H. P.	1-12-06	M	1	...	...	13
1386	" Dunne, R.	8-8-03	M	1	...	...	13
2447	Vol. Adshead, H. C.	13-7-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2453	" Adshead, V.	1-9-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1552	" Bernard, L.	9-5-05	M	1	...	...	11
2197	" Cooper, O.	17-7-13	1st	1	12

* Fired Revolver Course.

† Supernumerary.

‡ Best Shot in Corps.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	in Classification Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient to-wards Long Service Medal.
No. II (Railway and Telegraph) Section—concl'd.							
1387	Vol. Craigie, P.	28-8-03	1st	1	...	...	13
2396	" Deveria, F. A.	28-11-14	1st	1	...	...	4
1834	" Dunne, J.	1-1-09	1st	1	...	...	8
2397	" D'Vaz, J. J.	28-11-14	1st	1	...	...	4
2201	" Easom, J.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	19
2757	" Eleazar, A. W.	24-4-07	M	1	...	...	10
1411	" Filmer, C. M.	10-1-15	1st	1	...	...	2
2445	" Fitzgerald, H.	13-7-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2321	" Griffiths, R. N.	15-8-14	M	1	...	...	2
1869	" Gwilt, R.	1-7-04	1st	1	...	...	10
2448	" Julian, H.	13-7-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2444	" Jolly, J. W.	13-7-15	M	1	...	...	1
1606	" Lewis, R.	12-12-06	M	1	...	...	10
2012	" Pascal, A.	1-5-12	M	1	...	...	4
2199	" Reynolds, S.	1-7-13	M	1	...	...	8
1771	" Roberts, J. S.	1-5-10	1st	1	...	...	6
2202	" Smith, F. V.	1-7-13	1st	1	...	...	8
1392	" Swole, F.	15-8-03	1st	1	...	...	15
1924	" Thaddeus, G. C.	28-11-14	M	1	...	...	7
1742	" Wächsell, W. L'E.	15-12-07	1st	1	...	...	10
1953	" Wallace, W.	1-7-10	1st	1	...	...	7
2322	" Young, A.	15-8-14	M	1	...	...	26
1540	" Young, J. J.	15-6-05	1st	1	...	...	10
No. III (Ghoom and Kurseong) Section.							
1554	Lieut. Cresswell, G. B.	10-5-05	o	1	...	...	11
2326	Sergt. Berry, F.	7-8-14	M	1	...	1	2
1615	Corpl. Smith, C. E.	28-4-06	M	1	...	...	10
1396	Lce.-Corpl. Macdonald, T.	8-8-03	1st	1	...	...	9
1366	Vol. Barratt, J. P.	7-8-03	1st	1	...	...	12
2382	" Damerun, C. E.	1-11-14	1st	1	...	...	7
1852	" DuCasse, E.	1-4-09	M	1	...	...	7
1704	" Elliott, J. J.	1-8-07	1st	1	...	...	16
2200	" Fleming, H. L. O.	1-7-13	1st	1	...	...	27
2472	" Geoffrey, L.	3-11-15	M	1	...	...	2
2325	" Gooch, C.	15-8-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2473	" Hindley, L.	30-11-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2365	" Horan, C. T.	15-10-14	M	1	...	...	10
1397	" Macdonald, D.	9-8-03	1st	1	...	...	12
2290	" Mantel, J. A.	29-4-14	1st	1	...	...	2
2446	" Moore, E. A.	13-7-15	1st	1	1
2022	" Peters, F. B.	1-10-11	M	1	5
1794	" Peters, K. S.	2-7-08	M	1	8

* Fired Revolver Course.

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Years efficient towards Long Service Medal.
No. III (Ghoom and Kurseong) Section—concl'd.							
2248	Vol. Petry, A.	...	...	...	...	...	...
1397	" Petry, N.	1-5-12	M	1	...	...	3
2422	" Phillips, R.	22-7-03	M	1	...	...	13
1500	" Rose Meyer, W. P.	26-3-15	1st	1	...	...	4
1477	" Smale, F. T.	1-11-12	1st	1	...	...	4
...	...	25-5-04	1st	1	...	...	15
No. IV (Tindharia and Silliguri) Section.							
2245	Sergt. Mott, W. G.	...	...	...	...	...	...
1619	Corpl. Kerr, G.	1-1-14	M	1	...	...	17
1890	Lce.-Corpl. Wallace, R.	1-5-06	M	1	...	...	9
1341	" Crouch, A. J.	10-9-93	1st	1	...	...	22
1937	Vol. Ager, J.	16-2-03	M	1	...	...	13
2460	" Barnard, C. C.	1-5-10	1st	1	...	...	6
2374	" Beatty, W.	9-5-05	1st	1	...	...	11
2496	" Browne, L. W.	15-10-14	1st	1	...	...	8
802	" Fitzgerald, J.	1-2-16	M	1	...	...	1
2449	" Gandencio, J.	10-8-03	M	1	...	...	15
2249	" Gibbs, A.	13-7-15	1st	1	...	...	5
2335	" Glover, J. S.	1-1-14	1st	1	...	...	3
261	" Kirby, R. R.	10-9-14	M	1	...	...	2
1775	" Laden La, S. W.	1-1-16	M	1	...	...	3
1835	" Mahbert, G.	1-5-08	M	1	...	...	8
318	" Oakley, W.	1-1-09	M	...	...	...	8
1171	" O'Sullivan, E. K.	25-5-03	M	1	...	...	31
2459	" Poirel, S. G.	23-5-04	M	1	...	...	12
2248	" Shears, S.	15-9-15	1st	1	...	...	6
1789	" Skone, H.	1-1-14	M	1	...	...	3
2244	" Swole, P. H.	17-3-11	1st	1	...	...	5
2218	" Thornton, B. E.	1-1-14	1st	...	...	...	3
2415	" Wallace, R.	1-11-13	M	1	...	...	3
2487	" Young, S. W. L.	1-1-15	M	1	...	...	2
...	...	1-1-15	1st	1	...	...	2
Reservists.							
1066	Resvt. Benson, W.	1
2493	" Ottewill, J.	1-1-15	...	1
2041	" Wright, A.	6-12-11	...	1

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"E" Company.

Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	in Classification Membership.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Eligible for Mentor's Award.
2190	Capt. Woodhead, A. W.	1-6-13	•	1	...	1	1
2191	Lieut. Pook, J. de C.	1-6-13	•	1	...	1	1
2194	" Winn, A. E.	7-7-13	•	1	...	1	1
2461	2nd Lieut. Harvey, R. H. M.	1-4-15	•	1	...	...	1
2462	" Cuvelier, E. L. A.	1-4-15	•	1	...	...	1
1568	Coy. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Jennings, S. P.	16-4-09	M	1	...	1	1
1817	Colr.-Sergt. Whitby, B.	1-4-11	M	1	...	1	1
2627	Sergt. Balary, T. A.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2197	" Butcher, R.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
1624	" Dawn, A.	25-6-09	M	1	...	...	1
2628	" Warden, F. D.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2629	Corpl. Burke, G.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2197	" Connell, E.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2211	" King, P.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2216	" Cox, G. W.	1-8-12	M	1	...	...	1
1933	" Phillips, S.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
1934	Lce.-Corpl. Phillips, J.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
1865	" Allum, R. W.	1-7-11	M	1	...	...	1
1862	" Lawrence, R. H.	1-7-11	M	1	...	...	1
1702	" Macdonald, S.	6-4-10	M	1	...	...	1
1868	" Millett, H.	1-7-11	M	1	...	...	1
1871	" Montrieu, E. L.	1-7-11	M	1	...	...	1
2630	Cadet Adlam, J. R.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1865	" Allum, F.	1-7-11	M	1	...	...	1
2632	" Baldry, G. E.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2631	" Beaty, C. A.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2393	" Beddoe, E. C.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2633	" Blaker, G.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2203	" Bourne, G.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2634	" Butler, J. K.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2191	" Byers, L.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2635	" Coggan, A. E.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2637	" Collet, C.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2636	" Collet, G.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2638	" Collins, A.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2639	" Culshaw, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2395	" Dawn, R.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2640	" Dawn, R. H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2641	" Dillon, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2642	" Duncan, R.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2205	" Earle, M.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2219	" Earle, R.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2213	" Evans, A. R.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2643	" Ezekiel, D.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2660	" Fox, D. Manning	1-4-15	2nd	1	1
2309	" Fox, L. G.	1-4-14	M	1	1
2059	" Garth, P. H.	1-5-12	M	1	1

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Prodient.	Eligible for Musketry Grant.
2644	Cadet Gasper, A. C.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2646	" Gasper, V.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2645	" Granville, A. D.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2647	" Green, A. B.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2223	" Hall, A. L.	...	12-4-13	M	1	...	1
2648	" Hall, G.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2649	" Hanson, H.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
1866	" Hay, H. B.	...	1-7-11	M	1	...	1
1939	" Heysham, C. D.	...	1-4-12	M	1	...	1
2650	" Hickmott, E.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2651	" Hopkins, G.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
1569	" Jones, C.	...	16-4-09	M	1	...	1
2652	" Judah, F.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2653	" Kelly, D.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2388	" Kilray, C. H.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2655	" Kirby, J.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2657	" Kirby, R.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2656	" Kirby, W.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2380	" Langhorne, G. W.	...	1-4-14	M	1	...	1
2396	" Laurie, A. D.	...	1-4-14	M	1	...	1
2390	" Lawrence, E. L.	...	1-4-14	M	1	...	1
2658	" Leversedge, L.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2399	" Macdonald, J.	...	1-4-14	M	1	...	1
2659	" MacLeavy, A.	...	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	1
2381	" Madge, D. F.	...	1-4-14	M	1	...	1
2387	" Marwood, D.	...	1-4-14	1st	1	...	1
2215	" Moffatt, A.	...	1-4-13	M	1	...	1
2661	" Moresley, R.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2214	" Nahapiet, C. G.	...	1-4-13	M	1	...	1
2662	" Nuttall, A.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2190	" O'Sullivan, D. M.	...	1-4-13	M	1	...	1
2663	" Outhwaite, A. O.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2664	" Peterson, J.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2665	" Pulger, N.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2666	" Rees, F. A.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2667	" Riordan, J. C.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2385	" Riordan, J. D.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2201	" Rogers, P. A.	...	1-4-13	M	1	...	1
2670	" Samuel, W. A.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2226	" Samuel, W. H.	...	1-8-13	M	1	...	1
2668	" Sassoon, J.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2207	" Slater, K.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2669	" Smith, P.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2671	" Stahl, C. J.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2125	" Thomson, E. S.	...	1-8-12	M	1	...	1
2672	" Tobgay, S.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2674	" Valentine, J. M.	...	1-7-11	M	1	...	1
1867	" Vipan, R.	...	18-8-12	M	1	...	1
2109	" Warden, K.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2675	" Watson, E. W.	...					

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2676	Cadet	Watson, J.	...	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	1
2677	"	Willson, P. A.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2678	"	Whitby, W.	...	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	1
2679	"	White, J.	...	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	1
2680	"	Wolam, W.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2504	"	Young, D.	...	1-8-14	M	1	...	1
2681	"	Zarobin, L.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient	Eligible for Musketry Grant.
608	Capt. McCoy, L. J.	2-4-02	o	1	...	1	1
1832	Sergt. Hart, N.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
1890	" Courtney, M.	1-12-12	M	1	...	...	1
1891	" Courtney, J.	1-12-12	M	1	...	...	1
1925	" Maloney, C.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
1806	Corpl. Cleary, C.	17-3-11	M	1	...	...	1
1803	" Ford, G.	17-3-11	M	1	...	...	1
1957	Lce.-Corpl. Lake, C.	12-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2180	" Skone, H.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2189	Cadet Arathon, H.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
1383	" Augier, P.	1-4-08	M	1	...	...	1
2150	" Baird Smith, C.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
1800	" Baird Smith, K.	17-3-11	1st	1	...	...	1
2498	" Band, D.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2153	" Bennett, C.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2154	" Bennett, H.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2489	" Boscolo, E.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2249	" Brann, P.	15-2-14	M	1	...	...	1
2505	" Bristow, C.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2506	" Bristow, L.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2509	" Butcher, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2152	" Byrne, D.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
1799	" Campbell, M.	17-3-11	M	1	...	...	1
2408	" Campbell Martin, S.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2262	" Carbery, L.	15-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2157	" Chisholm, G.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2156	" Clarke, E.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
1950	" Clarke, W.	12-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2499	" Coggins, H.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1875	" Collett, R.	1-8-11	1st	1	...	...	1
1829	" Cornelius, D.	1-4-11	M	1	...	...	1
2490	" Courtenay, G.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1672	" Crichton, R.	26-2-10	M	1	...	...	1
2622	" Cuerton, T.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2510	" David, M.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2623	" Dickens, C.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2158	" Dillon, R.	15-2-14	M	1	...	...	1
2253	" Dobinson, R.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2488	" Earle, E.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2160	" Elliot, H.	1-3-15	1st	1	1
2495	" Embleton, J.	1-4-13	M	1	1
2162	" Fairhall, E.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2511	" Fernandes, J.						

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2259	Cadet Foster, C.	15-2-14	M	1	1
2515	" Foster, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2403	" Gannon, E.	1-4-14	1st	1	1
2400	" Gastand, J.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2624	" Groser, F.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2492	" Hall, A.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2415	" Harvey, C.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2250	" Henderson, D.	15-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
1983	" Hinault, L.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2493	" Hooley, St. J. C.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2508	" Howe, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2507	" Howe, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2625	" Ingram Cotton, W.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2512	" Irvine, E.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2261	" James, E.	15-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
1966	" Joseph, M.	12-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2165	" Kelly, O.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2166	" Kelly, S.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2255	" Kinsman, W.	10-3-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2513	" Lane Ryan, S.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2168	" Laws, M.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2263	" Leonard, C.	10-3-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2404	" Lyons, L.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2419	" Lyons, R.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2422	" Malcolm, A.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2025	" Manual, A.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2171	" Maxwell, J.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2402	" McCarthy, C.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2173	" Mitchell, A.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2254	" Mitchell, L.	10-3-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2172	" Money, W.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2494	" Mountain, E.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2264	" Mumford, E.	10-3-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2416	" Nahapiet, T.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2174	" Niven, D.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2256	" O'Grady, P.	10-3-14	1st	1	...	...	1
1954	" Phelan, Pat	12-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
1955	" Phelan, P.	12-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2417	" Philippe, T.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2496	" Ryan, L.	1-3-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1900	" Shave, J.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2257	" Sheehan, A.	10-3-14	1st	1	...	...	1
1968	" Shillingford, C.	12-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2411	" Simpson, G.	1-4-14	1st	1	1
2497	" Simpson, A.	10-3-14	1st	1	1
2491	" Stewart, B.	1-3-15	1st	1	1

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2179	Cadet Stewart, J.						
2420	" St. Pourçain, E.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2260	" Sullivan, C.	1-4-14	1st	1	1
2514	" Sultana, F.	10-3-14	1st	1	1
1963	" Swiney, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
1702	" Talley, B.	12-4-12	M	1	1
1946	" Thomas, E.	17-3-11	M	1	1
2421	" Tissendie, H.	12-4-12	M	1	1
2183	" Turner, L.	1-4-14	1st	1	1
2252	" Vallis, J.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2041	" Wilks, G.	10-3-14	1st	1	1
2187	" Wilkinson, C.	1-5-12	M	1	1
1896	" Wilkinson, K.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2183	" Wright Neville, E.	1-4-12	M	1	1
1953	" Wright Neville, V.	1-4-13	M	1	1
		12-4-12	M	1	1

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51	Major Sharpe, E. E.	1-9-98	o	1	...	1	1
108	Capt. Greene, A. R.	1-4-01	o	1	...	1	1
1623	2nd Lieut. Barker, T. G.	9-1-97	o	1	...	1	1
1503	Coy. Qr.-Mr. Sergt. Wright, H. A.	15-10-04	M	1	...	...	1
1839	Colr.-Sergt. Brownlow, E. H.	1-4-11	M	1	...	...	1
1698	Sergt. French, M.	16-4-10	1st	1	...	...	1
2112	" Hollow, V.	1-6-12	1st	1	...	...	1
1701	" Irwin, J.	16-4-10	M	1	...	...	1
1635	" Konwen, C.	1-5-11	1st	1	...	...	1
1616	Lce.-Sergt. Deaves, F.	1-5-09	M	1	...	...	1
1691	" Dunne, J.	16-4-10	1st	1	...	...	1
2682	Corpl. Bradshaw, F. P.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2146	" Holder, W.	16-4-10	1st	1	...	...	1
2683	" Waleski, S.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1884	Lce.-Corpl. Danter, F. R.	1-5-11	1st	1	...	...	1
1773	" Duckworth, F.	1-5-11	M	1	...	...	1
1977	" McConochie, W.	14-4-08	1st	1	...	...	1
2295	" Read, A. R.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2265	Cadet Akers, E. C.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2122	" Arklie, H.	1-6-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2545	" Atkinson, E.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2375	" Barraclough, C. R.	6-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2266	" Bearpark, F.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2544	" Beck, F.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2267	" Beck, P.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2120	" Bird, E.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2269	" Bird, V.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2143	" Boggie, W.	2-10-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2537	" Bonnaud, L.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2270	" Bowles, C. E.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2373	" Bracey, L.	6-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2272	" Breese, P.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2336	" Brendish, A. W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1979	" Brendish, G.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2271	" Brendish, R. H.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
1931	" Brownlow, R. H.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2516	" Cameron, A.	1-4-15	1st	...	1	...	1
2274	" Canham, D. O.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2273	" Canham, T. V.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
1971	" Carter, L.	24-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2539	" Charleton, D.	1-4-15	1st	...	1	...	1
2531	" Cooper, B.	1-4-15	1st	...	1	...	1
2275	" Cheek, S. G.	1-4-13	M	1	1
2139	" Cranenburgh, B.	2-10-12	1st	1	1

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2532	Cadet	Dawson, C. H.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2280	"	Didierserre, S. L.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2113	"	Dobson, G.	...	1-6-12	1st	1	...	1
2541	"	Douglas, P.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2281	"	Douglas, R.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2148	"	Duckworth, T.	...	1-6-12	M	1	...	1
2529	"	Ellis, F.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2686	"	Eungton, D. S.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2282	"	Ferguson, P.	...	1-4-13	M	1	...	1
2520	"	Fink, B.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2548	"	Fisher, E.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2108	"	Fisher, H. J.	...	1-6-12	1st	1	...	1
2534	"	Garrett, E.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2372	"	Gethen, F. A.	...	6-4-14	1st	1	...	1
2283	"	Graham, G. S.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2546	"	Green, M.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2284	"	Green, S.	...	1-4-13	M	1	...	1
2519	"	Hearn, A.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2287	"	Higgs, J. A.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2142	"	Hodgkins, J.	...	2-10-12	1st	1	...	1
2140	"	Holder, C.	...	2-10-12	1st	1	...	1
2543	"	Holder, E.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2542	"	Hurst, J.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2021	"	Hurst, T.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2124	"	Horniman, W.	...	1-6-12	1st	1	...	1
2540	"	Jacob, L.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2530	"	Jacob, W. E.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2371	"	Jary, B. M.	...	6-4-14	1st	1	...	1
2686	"	Jeffry, L.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2374	"	Kerr, H.	...	6-4-14	1st	1	...	1
2295	"	Keymer, D. R.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2143	"	Keystone, H.	...	2-10-12	1st	1	...	1
2229	"	Langley, A.	...	8-9-13	1st	1	...	1
2530	"	Langley, C.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2294	"	Manuel, A. J.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2684	"	Marklew, J.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2292	"	Marsh, G. A.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2293	"	Marshall, A.	...	1-4-13	1st	1	...	1
2525	"	Matthews, G.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2527	"	Matthews, H.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2687	"	Mills, D.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2524	"	Mills, H.	...	2-10-12	M	1	...	1
2138	"	Muir, A.	...	1-4-15	1st	1	...	1
2526	"	Neal, L.	...	24-5-12	M	1	...	1
1972	"	Newman, L.	...	1-6-12	1st	1	...	1
2149	"	Owen, C. H.	...					

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2136	Cadet Robertson, E.	2-10-12	1st	1	1
2528	" Robson, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2299	" Swaries, W. J.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2518	" Scott, A.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2533	" Scott, S.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2535	" Sheppard, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2538	" Snook, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2522	" Tancred, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2300	" Thorpe, V.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2276	" Vernieux, D. N.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2523	" Wadey, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2301	" Warden, T. F.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2109	" Warden, K. V.	1-6-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2302	" Watkins-Ball, M. J.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
1973	" Willet, J.	24-5-12	M	1	1
2305	" Yakchee, E. G.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2121	" Yakchee, F.	1-6-12	M	1	1

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Proficient.	Eligible for Musketry Grant.
1916	Lieut. Ripley, T.	...	...	...	...	...	...
1406	2nd Lieut. Archibald, J. H. G.	24-3-10	o	1	...	...	1
720	Hony. Chapn. Graham, D.D., C.I.E., Rev. J. A.	29-7-15 1-12-00	o ...	1 1	... ...	... ...	1 1
2078	Colr.-Sergt. O'Neal, B.	...	...	...	...	...	...
1918	Sergt. Ross, J.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2080	" Rozier, N.	1-12-11	M	1	...	...	1
1917	" McIsaac, A.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2061	" Albares, V.	1-12-11	M	1	...	...	1
2087	Corpl. Wibrow, R.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2073	" Holder, L.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2064	" Byers, T.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2236	" Morgan, D.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2231	Bugler Osborne, F.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2090	" Lacey, P.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2232	Drmr. Beck, W.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2081	" Russell, E.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2234	" Savigny, C.	1-4-12	M	1	...	...	1
2364	Cadet Adams, A.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2574	" Albares, E.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2377	" Ardagh, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2368	" Bainbridge, R.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2609	" Barwick, E.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2365	" Bastain, E.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2594	" Begg, A.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2245	" Begg, C.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2472	" Bently, J.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2576	" Bentley, T.	1-6-14	M	1	...	...	1
2563	" Brown, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2063	" Braid, J.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2599	" Bastain, B.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2603	" Bessenet, J.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2597	" Bouchey, G.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2563	" Buckley, T.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2608	" Burkett, A.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2621	" Cattermole, G.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2473	" Clayburn, H.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2578	" De Hone, P.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2620	" Douglas, T.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2144	" Drake, L.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2477	" Eleazer, A.	1-4-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2619	" Emery, H.	1-6-14	1st	1	1
2478	" Farley, H.	1-4-15	M	1	1
2564	" Foley, G.	1-4-15	M	1	1
2596	" Fraser, A.	1-4-15	M	1	1

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2244	Cadet Gauntlett, F.	1-4-13	M	1	1
2614	" Gee, E.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2565	" Girling, R.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2561	" Gilbert, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2571	" Glassup, N.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2581	" Gore, T.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2575	" Green, A.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2611	" Griffin, J.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2246	" Hardman, W.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2615	" Hardless, C.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2595	" Hardy, M.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2072	" Heale, G.	1-4-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2577	" Heyland, W.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2589	" Hosleith, M.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2607	" Hossack, T.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2243	" Hunter, P.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2588	" Jaham, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2587	" Jones, T.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2580	" Keelan, A.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2583	" King, H.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2480	" Knight, W.	1-6-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2367	" Lacey, M.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2145	" Lander, T.	1-4-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2600	" Lincoln, F.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2366	" Lord, C.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2233	" Lyon, R.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2586	" Macey, C.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2585	" Macey, H.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2612	" Macgregor, G.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2077	" McIntosh, J.	1-4-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2235	" Mitchell, A.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2238	" McMahon, A.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2241	" McIsaac, P.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2573	" Morgan, E.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2584	" Morgan, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2093	" Morgan, L.	1-4-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2606	" Naylor, K.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2569	" Nolan, A.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2242	" Oliver, M.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2240	" Osborne, H.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2572	" Pattison, P.	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2613	" Peacock, E.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2579	" Peel, J.	1-4-15	M	1	1
2568	" Poole, R.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2570	" Priddle, A.	1-4-15	M	1	1
2378	" Price, H.	1-4-14	M	1	1

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2598	Cadet Quarman, M.	1-4-15	1st	1	1
2082	„ Roberts, J.	1-4-12	M	1	1
2237	„ Ross, P.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2247	„ Rozier, M.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2566	„ Rees, C.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2590	„ Reid, J. R.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2602	„ Reid, John	1-4-15	M	1	...	...	1
2362	„ Snelleky, W.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2363	„ Sarkies, G.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2618	„ Schmidt, B.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2485	„ Schmidt, H.	1-6-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2369	„ Sherman, D.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2484	„ Skelham, C.	1-6-14	M	1	...	...	1
2591	„ Slater, S.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2604	„ Smith, F.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2605	„ Smith, W.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2482	„ Smalley, C.	1-6-14	M	1	...	...	1
2601	„ Smalley, G.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2567	„ Snellgrove, M.	1-4-15	2nd	1	...	...	1
2582	„ Sowerley, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2617	„ Stocking, A.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2562	„ Stubbs, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2610	„ Taylor, T.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2085	„ Towers, A.	1-4-12	M	1	1
2487	„ Tripp, J.	1-6-14	M	1	1
2592	„ White, J.	1-4-15	2nd	1	1
2616	„ Wright, E.	1-4-15	2nd	1	1

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Regimental No.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Enrolment.	Classification in Musketry.	Extra Efficient.	Efficient.	Probation.	Eligible for Musketry Grant.
23	V.D., Major Ansell, C. W. O. B.	29-8-73	•	1	...	1	1
393	Capt. Ansell, A. M.	19-6-14	•	1	...	...	1
1770	2nd Lieut. Candler, L. M.	31-5-15	•	1	...	1	1
2426	Colr.-Sergt. Jolly, J. O.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
1507	Sergt. Davis, S.	1-3-09	M	1	...	...	1
1529	" Featherstone, S.	1-4-09	M	1	...	...	1
2009	" Foscholo, D.	1-5-12	M	1	...	...	1
2423	" Starling, R.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2036	Corpl. Fox, C.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2352	" Rogers, R.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2032	" Leeming, H.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2098	" Connolly, M.	3-8-12	1st	1	...	...	1
1782	Lce.-Corpl. Major, C.	18-2-11	1st	1	...	...	1
1666	" Charles, J.	20-2-10	1st	1	...	...	1
2427	" Callaghan, V.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2554	" Sultana, P.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2312	Cadet Ashton, J.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2555	" Baker, A.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2024	" Bastin, O.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2221	" Bayley, R.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2094	" Beale, J.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2436	" Beale, S.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2313	" Beeby, R.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2559	" Beeby, S.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2314	" Belletty, E.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2431	" Blackford, E.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
1783	" Bradshaw, C.	18-2-11	M	1	...	...	1
2451	" Browne, V.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2463	" Burney, R.	19-2-14	M	1	...	...	1
2031	" Burrows, R.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2466	" Cabral, A.	19-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2467	" Carapiet, G.	19-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2318	" Carapiet, J.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2037	" Chapple, R.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2440	" Clarke, S.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2319	" Cleminson, H.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2321	" Connolly, O.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2320	" Connolly, C.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2322	" Connor, R.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2323	" Corbet, R.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2429	" Cox, A.	1-4-14	M	1	1
2416	" Craggs, E.	19-2-14	1st	1	1
2462	" Croxford, H.	19-2-14	1st	1	1

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2325	Cadet Cullington, H.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2099	" Curror, A.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2326	" Curror, P.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2557	" Darango, A.	19-2-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2329	" Davia, J.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2468	" D'Cunha, T.	19-2-14	1st	...	1	...	1
2465	" DeAlmeida, M.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2442	" Devereux, C.	1-4-14	2nd	...	1	...	1
2406	" Dias, D.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2331	" Dutton, M.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
2332	" Dyer, F.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
1843	" Dyer, W.	1-5-11	1st	1	...	...	1
2015	" Edwards, J.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2437	" Farrell, C.	1-4-14	2nd	...	1	...	1
2052	" Fazey, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1667	" Featherstone, F.	26-2-10	1st	1	...	...	1
2444	" Field, W.	1-4-14	1st	...	1	...	1
2015	" Ferguson, J.	1-5-12	2nd	...	1	...	1
2450	" Ferguson, J.	1-4-14	2nd	...	1	...	1
2333	" Fransz, T.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
1527	" Fransz, D.	1-3-09	1st	1	...	...	1
2046	" Fox, F.	1-5-12	2nd	...	1	...	1
2558	" Gasper, T.	19-2-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2102	" George, J.	3-8-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2560	" Guymer, G.	19-2-16	1st	1	...	...	1
2334	" Halpin, C.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
2335	" Haydn, H.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2026	" Henwood, G.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2027	" Herdon, H.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2458	" Hoff, L.	19-2-15	1st	...	1	...	1
2338	" Howatson, M.	1-4-13	1st	...	1	...	1
2556	" Jones, J.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
1499	" Keenan, B.	1-3-09	2nd	...	1	...	1
2448	" Keighley, H.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2339	" Klimanoff, V.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2340	" Lofts, F.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
2430	" Lynch, W.	1-4-14	2nd	...	1	...	1
2441	" MacDonald, M.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2341	" Mackenzie, P.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
2460	" Major, A.	19-2-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2342	" Mann, E.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
2343	" Mann, P.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2040	" Marçon, E.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2033	" McGuire, C.	1-5-12	M	1	...	...	1
2344	" McMullen, S.	1-4-13	1st	1	1
2105	" McRae, A.	3-8-12	1st	...	1	...	1
2345	" Michie, C.	1-4-13	1st	1	1

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2346	Cadet Minahan, N.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
2446	" Moffat, J.	1-4-14	M	1	1
1780	" Morgenstern, J.	18-2-11	1st	1	1
2034	" Nicols, C.	1-5-12	2nd	...	1	...	1
2449	" Odgers, H.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2348	" Ranger, C.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2349	" Ranger, R.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2350	" Ranger, S.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2351	" Rodrigues, A.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2428	" Rosambean, D.	1-4-14	2nd	...	1	...	1
2438	" Rosambean, N.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2464	" Sabbage, J.	19-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2353	" Saubolle, D.	1-4-14	M	1	...	...	1
2033	" Saubolle, V.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2461	" Savedra, H.	19-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2447	" Sing, I.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2051	" Smith, J.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2445	" Spencer, H.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2354	" Stagg, J.	1-4-13	M	1	...	...	1
2459	" Stagg, S.	19-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2355	" Stölke, B.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
1807	" Stölke, D.	17-3-11	1st	1	...	...	1
2439	" Stuart, A.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2470	" Sultana, W.	19-2-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2500	" Swaries, C.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2020	" Taylor, A.	1-5-12	2nd	...	1	...	1
2356	" Vincent, J.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2435	" Virtue, J.	1-4-14	2nd	...	1	...	1
2357	" VonLintzgy, H.	1-4-13	2nd	...	1	...	1
1887	" Wade, W.	1-11-11	1st	1	...	...	1
1789	" Williams, E.	17-3-11	1st	1	...	...	1
2552	" Williamson, H.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2551	" Williamson, K.	1-4-15	1st	1	...	...	1
2433	" Wilsone, E.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2359	" Wollaston, D.	1-4-13	1st	1	...	...	1
2001	" Wright, G.	1-4-14	1st	1	...	...	1
2049	" Wright, H.	1-5-12	1st	1	...	...	1
2502	" Wright, A.	1-4-15	2nd	...	1	...	1

